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WHO'S WHO
In Socialist America

ABBEY, George N., junk dealer, Roswell, N. M. Born, Iowa; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by debate between J. E. Snyder and a republican; joined Socialist party at Roswell, 1910; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured one or two hundred subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 50 or 100 for the Appeal. Is secretary of local.

ALLEN, N. M., salesman, Raleigh, N. C. Born, Granville, N. C., Dec. 12, 1848; formerly democrat and populist; converted to Socialism by Coming Nation and Appeal; joined Socialist party at Vicksburg, Miss., 1898; member Local Raleigh; helped organize locals at Vicksburg, Miss., Little Rock, Ark., several in North Carolina; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for various Socialist papers and thousands for the Appeal; attended one city convention. Is literature agent of local.

ALTINAN, W. D., farmer, Butler, Pa. Born Elderton, Pa., Jan., 1848; formerly republican, democrat and populist; converted to Socialism by reading and thinking; joined Socialist party at Butler, 1909; attended convention at New Castle, Pa., and one state convention. Is financial secretary of the local.

AMICK, I. N., retired farmer and laborer, Garrison, N. D. Born West Virginia,

[1914]

September 26, 1881; no political affiliations other than with the Socialist party; converted to Socialism by Appeal during Moyer-Haywood trial; joined Socialist party at Emmett, N. D., 1908; member of Garrison, N. D.; helped organize locals at Emmett, N. D., Garrison, N. D., and Malcom, N. D.; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured over 500 subscriptions to Socialist papers and 300 for Appeal; attended convention at Devils Lake, 1911. Is financial secretary of local and was candidate for sheriff in 1912.

AGGUS, W. H., plumber, Norfolk, Ohio. Born England, Nov. 29, 1855; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by hearing speaker and reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Cleveland, Ohio, 1910; member Local Norwalk; helped organize locals at Norwalk and Bellevue; distributed over 25,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 350 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 275 for the Appeal; attended one city convention. Is financial secretary of local.

ANDERSON, A. J., farmer, Chalk, Texas. Born Texas, April 28, 1857; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Paden, Okla., 1906; helped organize locals at Bethel, S. D., and Paden, Okla.

ANDERSON, T. B., carpenter, Miami, Ariz. Born Canada, May 19, 1853; formerely populist; converted to Socialism by reading the Appeal and Christian Socialist; joined party at El Paso, Texas, 1912.

ANDERSON, Z. T., farmer, Pukwana, S. D. Born Vermillion, S. D., July 23, 1868; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by a friend sending him copy of Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Vermillion, 1903; helped organize locals at Vermillion, Spirit, West Pond and Kimball; distributed forty dollars' worth of literature; secured 280 subscriptions for Socialist newspapers and 200 for the Appeal. Is secretary of local.

ANSTAD, John, millwright, Klamath Falls, Ore. Born Norway, Dec. 11, 1869; formerly populist; converted to Socialism by study; joined Socialist Party at Phoenix, B. C., 1902; member of Ewauna branch No. 2, Klamath Falls; secured 200 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and about 100 to the Appeal; attended one city convention. Is financial secretary and literature agent for local.

ASHLOCK, G. T., merchant, Hustonville, Ky. Born Sanford, Ky., July 7, 1867; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal and various incidents.

ASHTON, William A., painter and decorator, Grand Rapids, Minn. Born Richmond, Ill.; formerly democrat; saw copy of Appeal to Reason for first time winter of 1896 in Los Angeles; converted to Socialism by reading; joined Socialist party Grand Rapids, Minn.; helped organize locals in surrounding country; distributed thousands of pieces of literature; taken many subscriptions to Socialist papers. Hopes to be able to do more in the coming years for the revolution.

APITZSCH, R. M., potmaker, Hollidays Cove, W. Va. Born Leipzig, Germany, Dec. 30, 1871; brought up in stronghold of Socialism; joined Socialist party at Allegheny City, Pa.; member Steubenville, Ohio,; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions for various papers; attended one city convention.

ATCHISON, J. C., miner, Crooksville, Ohio. Born Zanesville, Ohio, Dec. 12, 1873; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal and listening to speeches; joined Socialist party at McLuney, Ohio, August, 1910; helped organize local at Rose Farm; distributed hundreds of pieces of Socialist literature; secured 65 subscriptions for all Socialist papers and 55 for the Appeal.

AUER, Joseph, blacksmith, Deadwood, S. D. Born Austria, Nov. 17, 1846; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading; joined Socialist party in 1905; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured 50 subscriptions for the Appeal.

AUMANN, Gustave, bricklayer, Manitowoc, Wis. Born Manitowoc, Wis.; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined party at Manitowoc, 1906; distributed 500 pieces of literature; secured 100 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 90 for Appeal to Reason.

BACK, Wm. H., concrete worker, Boonville, Mo. Born, Boonville, June 18, 1869; formerly republican; converted to Socialism through the Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Boonville; distributed a great many pieces of Socialist literature; secured 167 subscriptions for the Appeal.

BAILEY, J. C., iron and steel worker, Cleveland, Ohio. Born, Turnbull Co., Ohio, Feb. 18, 1871; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Warren, Ohio, 1898; member of 15th ward branch, Cleveland; distributed countless numbers of pieces of literature; attended city, state and district conventions. Holds office of literature agent in his local.

BARKLEY, Ira, farmer, Moulton, Ala. Born South Carolina, 1869; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Rip-Saw; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for Socialist papers.

BARNES, Fred, machinist, Lawrence, Ind. Born, Illinois, 1880; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism through the Appeal; distributed five copies of the Appeal for 30 weeks; secured 53 subscriptions to the Appeal.

BAROWS, F., carpenter and painter, Waycross, Ga. Born, North Carolina, 1853; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by the Appeal and other literature; joined Socialist party at Augusta, Ga., 1895; at present member at large; helped organize Locals Louisville, N. C., and Greenville, S. C.; distributed hundreds of pieces of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions for the Appeal; attended one city and one state convention. Is organizer of local. Has lectured between five hundred and a thousand times.

BARR, A. W., printer, Wocester, Mass. Born, Oakham, Mass.; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by exercising a little common sense, assisted by Wayland's Coming Nation and general reading; joined first Nationalist club, 1893, at Beaver Falls, Pa.; Socialist Labor party, Worcester, Mass., 1894; organized Social Democratic party branch, 1899; advocated union of Socialist forces; fought for adoption of name "Socialist Party" at state convention in Massachusetts which was carried; was candidate for alderman and mayor, Worcester, Mass., also state secretary of state. At one tive active as lecturer and stump speaker.

BARSKY, Israel, tailor, Conneaut, Ohio. Born Russia; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism by capitalist system; joined Socialist Labor party in New York, 1885; member of Local Conneaut, Socialist party; helped organize locals in New York City and Conneaut, Ohio; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured thousands of subscriptions for Socialist papers,, most of them for the Appeal to Reason; attended one state and two city conventions. Persecuted in Russia and escaped in 1881, when he landed in New York. There he was persecuted for Socialism to such an extent he left for Ohio. Has written a great deal on Socialist questions.

BARTON, Rufus C., shoemaker, Belfast, Me. Born, Vinal Haven, Jan. 5, 1861; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Belfast, April, 1910; distributed some literature; secured some subscriptions to Socialist papers; attended city and one national convention.

BARTLETT, Wm., machinist and engineer, Oakland Cal. Born, Leeds, Eng., Nov. 30, 1871; affiliated with both old political parties; converted to Socialism through Appeal given by railroad man; joined Socialist party September, 1902; member of N. Oakland; attended many city conventions and one state convention; member of county central committee.

BARTHOLIC, Edward B., car inspector, Denver, Co'o. Born, Illinois, March 12, 1865; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Looking Backward; joined Socialist party in Denver, 1904; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured scores of subscriptions to the

Appeal; attended one city and one state convention. Is county delegate to local.

BARTOLOWITCH, Stephen, paper box worker, New York City. Born, Slavonia, Aug. 7, 1887; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism through reading literature; joined Socialist party at Nuremberg, Bavaria, Dec. 20, 1907; member of Local New York; distributed about 4,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured about 200 subscriptions for various Socialist papers; and 58 for the Appeal; attended national convention in Germany and one in Bavaria, and one state convention in New York.

BASSFORD, Chas. D., brakeman, Norristown, Pa. Born, England, Sept. 27, 1884; converted to Socialism by the Appeal and Ingersoll; joined Socialist party, Norristown, July 4, 1912; helped organize Locals Consholoken and Bridgeport; distributed about 7,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 400 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 90 for the Appeal. Is literature agent of local. Speaks on street every Saturday night.

BEATY, A. B., farmer, Utica, Kan. Born, Venango county, Pa., April 1, 1856; formerly republican and populist; converted to Socialism through reading and thinking; joined Socialist party, Trego county, Kan., Oct. 1, 1910; member of Local Valley; distributed hundreds of pieces of Socialist literature; intends to make a school house campaign the coming fall.

BECKER, Henry C., glass blower, Elwood, Ind. Born, Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 18, 1873; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Elwood, August, 1904; helped organize local at Tipton, Ind.; distributed thousands

of pieces of Socialist literature; secured thousands of subscriptions to Appeal and other Socialist papers; attended many city conventions, two state and one national conveniton; is member of local committee.

BEES, R. W., telegraph operator, New Castle, Pa. Born, Sharon, Pa., Oct. 29, 1871; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by Appeal; joined Socialist party at New Castle, Nov. 27, 1910; helped organize locals at Ellwood City and Wampum; distributed several thousand pieces of Socialist literature; secured 150 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 75 for the Appeal; attended one city convention. Is a member of the board of health.

BELL, Benjamin Franklin, physician, Tyler, Texas. Born, Madisonville, Miss., Dec. 8, 1855; formerly democrat and populist; converted to Socialism by reading two copies of the Appeal given him by M. V. Tayler, April, 1898; joined Socialist party at Pleasant Grove in 1900; member of Tyler local; made many talks at locals and distributed literature.

BENNETT, James, electrician, Independence, Mo. Born, Odell, Ill., Dec. 10, 1857; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; distributed 500 pieces of literature; secured 125 subscriptions for the Appeal.

BENSON, Frank T., engine repairer, Pennsylvania shops, Terre Haute, Ind. Born, Clark county, Ill., Dec. 22, 1872; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal; joined Socialist party at Terre Haute, Nov. 15, 1908; member Seventh ward branch; distributed thousands of pieces of literature; secured unknown numbers of subscriptions to Appeal; attended county convention at Terre Haute and

national convention in 1912. Is secretary of local and city central committee.

BENSON, R. C., farmer, Stroud, Okla. Born, Fulton county, Ill., March 17, 1848; formerly democrat; always a Socialist, but found it out by reading the Appeal; joined Socialist party at Stroud, March, 1909; helped organize local at Stroud; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; taken many subscriptions for Socialist papers.

BERGGREN, John T., shoemaker, Pitcairn, Pa. Born, Sweden, Nov. 12, 1862; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party, Irvin, 1909; helped organize local at Pitcairn. Treasurer of local and councilman of Pitcairn.

BEVERFORDEN, Hugo F., druggist, Ft. Wayne, Ind. Born in Germany, Sept. 28, 1873; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by existing conditions; joined party at Ft. Wayne, December, 1911; distributed literature every day; secured all subscriptions he could; attended three city conventions.

BIERMAN, Louis, carpenter, Peoria, Ill. Born, Geneva, N. Y., April 16, 1855; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by street speaker; joined Socialist party at Peoria, Sept. 4, 1904; distributed thousands of pieces of literature; secured many subscriptions to the Appeal and other Socialist papers.

BICKFORD, Finley, stone mason, Eddyville, Iowa. Born, Eddyville, 1869; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal; joined Socialist party at Eddyville, distributed 2,000 pieces of Socialist literature;

BOTHWELL, Robert, farmer, Iola, Wis. Born, Ireland, 1860; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by the Appeal to Reason.

BOWERS, William G., electrical engineer, Chambersburg, Pa. Born, Chambersburg, Jan. 12, 1882; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading books; joined Socialist party at Chambersburg, April, 1911; distributed one thousand pieces of literature; secured 125 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 100 for the Appeal.

BOWERMASTER, Chas., machinist, Alliance, Ohio. Born, Bowersville, Ohio, Dec. 9, 1882; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism through reading Appeal; joined Socialist party at Alliance, July 27; distributed over 2,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 85 subscriptions to various Socialist papers, and 60 to the Appeal.

BARGG, W. F., mechanic and farmer, Soldiers Home, Cal. Born, Indiana, Feb. 14, 1841; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Looking Backward, in 1890; joined Socialist party at San Diego, Cal., 1900; member at large; helped organize locals at San Diego, Sawtelle and Bishop, Cal.; distributed thousands of pieces of literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions for Socialist papers.

BRAUN, Frans, insurance broker, San Francisco, Cal. Born, Brandenburg Province, Germany, Dec. 21, 1858; converted to Socialism by observing conditions among the working people of his native country; always belonged to some social organization, but joined American local in San Francisco; helped organize German locals and also the German Socialist Publishing association in San Francisco; distributed a great many pieces of Socialist literature; attended Socialist conventions at San Francisco and one state convention of California.

BRILLHART, Jesse T., machinist, Omaha, Neb. Born, Jefferson county, West Virginia, Sept. 22, 1871; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by argument and speech of Bill Haywood; joined Socialist party at Omaha, 1910; helped organize locals at Florence and Benson, Neb.; distributed 1,000,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 300 subscriptions to Socialist papers; secured 160 subscriptions to the Appeal; attended one city and one state convention.

BROWN, A. E., carpenter, Fayette City, Pa. Born, Pennsylvania, Dec. 26, 1862; formerly prohibitionist; converted to Socialism through lectures and literature; joined Socialist party at Fayette City, 1910; helped organize locals at Fairhope, Pa.; distributed 400 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 150 subscriptions for all Socialist papers and 75 for the Appeal. Is financial secretary and treasurer of the local.

BROWN, E. J., bakery proprietor, Coulterville, Ill. Born Harper, Kan., Aug. 2, 1884; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal and the hammering of a comrade; distributed 200 pieces of Socialist literature; secured fifty subscribers for the Appeal to Reason.

BROWN, Mrs. T. E., housewife, Myrtle Point, Ore. Born, Wayne, Neb., Nov. 27, 1891; converted to Socialism by her husband; secured 50 subscriptions for the Appeal.

BROUGH, Thomas H., agent, Boswell, Okla. Born, Kentucky, 1856; formerly republican; hunted something like Socialism all his life until he found it in 1912; joined party at Boswell;

helped organize local in Choctaw county; distributed 3,500 pieces of literature; secured many subscriptions for Socialist publications.

BROWNMILLER, Jesse A., silk warper, Hamburg, Pa. Born, Hamburg, Oct. 16, 1888; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal during 1908 campaign; joined Socialist party at Hamburg, Sept. 13, 1909; distributed about 10,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 300 subscriptions to various Socialist papers and 250 to the Appeal. Is secretary of local.

BURDICK, F. L., locomotive engineer, Mandan, N. D. Born, New York state, May 24, 1868; formerly prohibitionist, republican and democrat; converted to Socialism by reading copy of the Appeal; joined Socialist party at Mandan, N. D., 1910; helped organize locals at Kidkinson, N. D.; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature. Is literature agent of the local.

BURDY, W. M., farmer, Cegar, Okla. Born, Indiana, April 6, 1860; formerly republican; converted to Socialism because he realized it was right; distributed many copies of the Appeal; secured 50 subscriptions for the Appeal.

BURGHALZER, Max, flour miller and farmer, Cresell, Ore. Born, Germany, April 25, 1857; formerly democrat and populist; converted to Socialism mostly by Appeal and Coming Nation; joined Socialist party at Eugene, Ore., 1908; distributed thousands of pieces of literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions for Appeal and other Socialist papers; attended one county convention. Is financial secretary of local.

BURKHART, E., steam fitter, McMechen, W. Va. Born, Martin's Ferry, Ohio,

Nov. 5, 1875; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal; distributed 200 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 97 subscriptions for the Appeal.

BURKE, Patrick, electrician, Oil City, Pa. Born, Oil City; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by speakers and literature; joined Socialist party at Oil City, Dec. 1, 1900; distributed 2,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 100 subscriptions for Socialist papers and 80 for the Appeal; attended one city convention. Is secretary of local.

BURNHAM, H. M., physician, Escatawpa, Miss. Born, Harperville, Miss., Aug. 29, 1874; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; distributed 1,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 300 subscriptions for various Socialist papers, and 275 for the Appeal. Is county health officer of Jackson county, Mississippi.

BUSCILOWSKY, B. T., shoemaker, Douglas, Wyo. Born, Germany, 1878; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party in Nebraska, 1912; distributed over a thousand pieces of Socialist literature; secured a hundred subscriptions for the Appeal.

BUSELER, Sam, teacher and fruit grower, Springdale, Ark. Born, Jackson, Ohio, April 17, 1862; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Socialist literature; joined Socialist party at Springdale, Ark., April, 1911; helped organize locals at Rogers, and county local at Fayetteville; distributed 4,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 187 subscriptions for Socialist papers and 92 for the Appeal; attended city convention at Fayetteville. Is county organizer and local secretary. Is engaged now raising

fund to keep organizer out in the Third congressional district of Arkansas.

BUSICK, C. W., mechanic, Felsmere, Fla. Born, Allen county, Ohio, Sept. 10, 1875; was always a Socialist, but found it out by reading Appeal; secured many subscriptions to Socialist papers.

CABLE, S. O., carpenter, Newton, Kan. Born, Livonia, Ind., Feb. 1, 1873; formerly populist; converted to Socialism through economic education and common sense; joined Socialist party at Newton, Aug. 30, 1906; helped organize Locals Newton and Sedgwick; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for Appeal and other Socialist papers. Is secretary of local.

CANRIGHT, John, painter, North Platte, Neb. Born, Chicago, 1876; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at North Platte, August, 1905; helped organize Locals North Platte, Paxton, Brady, Wallace; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions for Socialist papers attended three city conventions and state conventions. Secretary of local and believes in keeping everlastingly at it.

CAP, Otto, sheet metal worker, Detroit, Mich. Born, Bohemia, Oct. 26, 1879; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading the Appeal and books; joined Socialist party at Detroit, 1912; helped organize Local Fairview; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured quite a number of subscriptions to the various Socialist papers, including the Appeal. Has been in trouble with officers for street speaking.

CARPENTER, G. C., cotton mill worker, Greensboro, N. C. Born, North Carolina, April 5, 1885; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Greensboro, 1913.

CARRIGAN, Joseph H., full fashion hosiery knitter, Brooklyn, N. Y. Born, Philadelphia, 1890; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism by a street meeting and reading Socialist literature; joined Socialist party at Philadelphia, July, 1910; member Kings county local, Brooklyn, N. Y.; secured many subscriptions for Appeal; member of Kings county central committee. Is general secretary of the American Federation of Full Fashion Hosiery Workers, an organization which he took a large part in organizing and is a member of the executive council of same federation, and secretary of local union of that organization.

CASSELL, James W., mechanic, cabinet and pattern maker, Roanoke, Va. Born, Rocky Mountain, Va., July 28, 1869; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by lectures and the Appeal; joined Socialist party at Roanoke, May, 1912; distributed about 1,000 pieces of Socialist literature; attended two state conventions. Is literature agent of local.

CAVELL, James A., painter, Cleveland, Ohio. Born, Cleveland, June 5, 1875; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading books and papers; joined Socialist party Feb. 5, 1911; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured 400 subscriptions for all Socialist papers and 200 for the Appeal.

CHABAND, E. J., engineer, Robstown, Texas. Born, Evansville, Ind., Dec. 19, 1873; no former political affiliations;

converted to Socialism by reading the Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Castle, Okla., 1899; member at large; helped organize locals at Castle, Alden, Okla.

CHANCE, T. L., farmer, Rose Hill, Kan. Born, Indiana, 1862; formerly democrat and populist; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party Douglas, Ind., 1907; helped organize local at Superior; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions to Socialist papers; attended Socialist convention at El Dorado, Kan. Has been abused and vilified because of political faith and at present does not belong to the party.

CHELGREN, C. P., farmer, Turlock, Cal. Born, Sweden, Aug. 10, 1839; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by the editor of the Des Moines Daily News.

CHESNEY, E. A., sawyer in saw mill, Stockholm, Maine. Born, Island Pond, Vt., Oct. 25, 1883; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism through the Appeal.

CHILCOTE, Hilary, farmer, Fryatt, Ark. Born, Huntington county, Pa., April 22, 1845; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason.

CHRISTENSON, M. G., canvasser, Winger, Minn. Born, Vernon county, Wis., May 27, 1875; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by lectures and Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Winger, 1913; distributed hundreds of pieces of Socialist literature. Is secretary of local.

CHRISTENSEN, N. P., farmer, Fairfax, S. D. Born, Denmark, 1876; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Looking Backward; helped organize several locals.

CRISTENSON, Victor, paving cutter, Websterville, Vt. Born, Sweden, Nov. 29, 1879; converted to Socialism at a union meeting when 16 years of age; distributed many pieces of literature and secured many subscriptions for the Socialist papers. Believes in education and agitation.

CHURCH, Clarence M., stationary engineer, Arnold, Pa. Born, Chesaning, Mich., 1867; formerly prohibitionist; converted to Socialism through disgust for old parties and study; joined Socialist party at Arnold, 1911; helped organize locals at Braeburn, Pa.; lectured during last campaign; distributed 50,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 500 subscriptions for Socialist papers and 100 for Appeal; attended one county convention. Is editing a page in the Kensington Dispatch, a capitalist sheet.

CISSNA, G. M., harness maker, Tecumseh, Okla. Born, Indiana, Jan. 26 1863; formerly populist; converted to Socialism by Appeal; joined Socialist party at Tecumseh, 1906; distributed hundreds of pieces of literature; taken many subscriptions for Socialist papers; attended one county and one state convention. Is secretary of local

CLARK, C. M., real estate dealer, Boswell, Okla. Born, Tennessee, Nov. 22 1869; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading the Appeal joined Socialist party at Boswell 1907; attended one city convention.

CLARKE, Rex, boiler maker, Gunnison Colo. Born, Meriden, Kan., Aug. 22 1883; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Gunnison, January, 1913.

CLARK, C. E., farmer, Leechburg, Pa. Born, Pennsylvania, July 17, 1852; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by speech; secured many subscriptions to Appeal. Is a Tennessee contestant.

CLARK, S. L., railroad conductor, Cincinnati, Ohio. Born, Prestonsburg, Ky., Dec. 31, 1877; formerly republican; converted to Socialism because of the mistreatment of miners by capitalists.

CLIFFORD, John, shoemaker, Los Angeles, 1897; distributed hundreds of pieces of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions for all Socialist papers; attended one city, one state convention.

COBB, S. H., farmer, Benchland, Mont. Born, Missouri, 1869; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Benchland, 1911; helped organize two locals; attended one city convention and one state convention. Is secretary of Local Benchland.

COCKAYNE, W. H., carpenter, Greenport, Ind. Born, Clinton county, Aug. 14, 1860; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by Appeal and Socialist lectures; joined party at Frankfort, Ind., February, 1906; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions to Socialist papers; attended city convention at Frankfort.

COFFREN, S. W., merchant, Fresno, Cal. Born, Winterport, Aug. 14, 1859; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by existing conditions; joined Socialist party in San Jose, 1905; member Fresno local; distributed 10,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 1,000 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 600 for Appeal; attended one city convention.

COLES, Alfred, rancher, Everson, Wash. Born, Gardner, Ill., March 20, 1858; formerly republican and democrat; converted to Socialism by the Appeal; joined Socialist party at Echo Valley, Wash.; attended city convention at Tacoma, Wash.

COLLARD, R. E. L. superintendent Spoke mill, Dermott, Ark. Born, Hainesville, Ky., Sept. 6, 1873; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason and federal courts; distributed one bundle of Socialist literature a week; secured 70 subscriptions to the Appeal.

CONNERY, J. W. machinist, Kewanee, Ill. Born, United States, 1873; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Kenwanee; helped organize locals at Galva and Wyanet; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions for Socialist papers. Is literature agent.

CORYELL, Oscar L., farmer, Kevil, Ky. Beron, Vernon, Ind., April 18, 1855; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal in 1910; joined Socialist party at Lacenter, October, 1910; helped organize locals at Grahamville and High Point; distributed 300 pieces of Socialist literature; secured two subscriptions for Socialist papers besides the Appeal, and 108 for that paper; has lectured at points near by on Socialism.

COWAN, George, railroad man, Chicago, Ill. Born, Wisconsin, 1865; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism because its principles seemed to be only alternative for the workingman; joined Socialist party, Chicago, 1905; member Fourteenth Ward, Cook county local; secured 500 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 400 for the Appeal.

COX, R. A., farmer, Garland, Okla. Born, Greenwood, Ark., June 30, 1887; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Garland, July 8, 1907; helped organize locals at Rucker, Garland and Salle; distributed 500 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 600 subscribers for Socialist papers and 400 for the Appeal.

CREIGHTON, Geo., farmer, Aure, Minn. Born, England, Sept. 7, 1858; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason.

CROOKSTON, Seward, switch tender, Larimer, Pa. Born, Irwin, Pa., Oct. 23, 1885; no formerly political affiliations; converted to Socialism by reading "Men and Mules"; joined Socialist party, Irwin, July 25, 1910; member of Westmoreland branch; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions to Socialist papers. Is assistant assessor.

CROSBY, A. M., butcher, Oakland, Cal. Born, San Francisco, June 24, 1881; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by listening to J. Stitt Wilson lecture; joined Socialist party at Fruitville, 1913. Is financial secretary of local, also a lifetime subscriber to Appeal.

CRUM, LaFayette, farmer, Ithaca, N. Y. Born, Candor, N. Y., March 21, 1844; formerly democrat and populist; converted to Socialism by reading platform of Socialist party; joined party at Ithaca, 1904; distributed many pieces of literature and taken many subscriptions to Socialist papers. Is organizer of the Ithaca local.

CRUSAN, W. S., miner and all around laborer, Derry, Pa. Born, Pennsylvania, Oct. 4, 1855; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading and

hearing lectures and thinking along economic lines; joined Socialist party at Youngstown, 1907; member of Loyalhanna local; helped organize locals at New Derry, Loyalhanna, Long Bridge; distributed 5,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for all Socialist papers and about 200 for the Appeal; attended about 30 city conventions and one state convention.

CUMMING, W. W., railroad man, Los Angeles, Cal. Born, Shakopee, Minn., Sept. 29, 1878; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by stray copy of Appeal; distributed 1,500 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 126 subscriptions for the Appeal.

CURTIS Joseph C., laborer, Denver, Colo. Born, Kanawha county, West Virginia; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Denver, 1905; helped organize local at Sturgis, S. D.; distributed Socialist literature by the thousands of pieces; secured many subscribers to the Appeal to Reason; attended state convention at Sheridan, Wyo.

CUSHWAY, Armond J., loom fixer, weaving department, Northampton, Mass. Born Northampton, Mass., May 19, 1887; converted to Socialism by a friend and the Appeal; joined Socialist party at Northampton, Jan. 3, 1911; distributed papers, leaflets, etc.; secured 50 subscriptions to the Appeal. Is secretary of local.

DAHLNER, Gunard V., stationary engineer, Hibbing, Minn. Born, Sweden, November 28, 1887; formerly democrat and prohibitionist; converted to Socialism by studying economics and reading Appeal; joined Socialist party, Hibbing, Minn., Feb. 21, 1912; distributed several thousand pieces of

Socialist literature; secured one hundred subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 35 for Appeal. Is secretary of city central committee.

DANTERMAN, Charles R., real estate and insurance agent, Inverness, Mont. Born, Deddison, Ohio, Dec. 10, 1875; formerly democrat; converted to So- joined Socialist party at Inverness, joined Socialist party at Iverness, April, 1912; helped organize locals at Inverness, Hingham, Joplin and Chester, Mont.; distributed over one thousand pieces of literature; secured one hundred subscriptions for various Socialist papers and over that number for Appeal; attended city conventions of Butte and Inverness and state convention of Montana. Is secretary of his local.

DAVIS, A. R., carpenter, Stamford, Tex. Born, Illinois, Oct. 8, 1850; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal; joined Socialist party at Stamford, 1904; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured about 600 subscriptions to various Socialist papers and 500 to the Appeal; attended one city convention. Is secretary of local.

DAVIS, Charles C., stationary engineer, Buffalo, Ohio. Born, Cambridge, Nov. 10, 1883; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason and Rip-Saw; joined Socialist party at Buffalo, June 14, 1911; distributed three or four thousand pieces of Socialist literature; attended one city convention. Is member of the county executive committee.

DAVIS, J. B., miner, Winnemucca, Nev. Born, Virginia, Dec. 29, 1876; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by watching dirty work in old parties; joined Socialist party at Winnemucca, 1912. Is local secretary.

DAVIS, S. R., tin worker, Morgantown, W. Va. Born, Wales, March 5, 1868; formerly radical; converted to Socialism by reading "Looking Backward"; joined Socialist party at New Castle, 1905; member Local Morgantown; helped organize locals at Steubenville, Ohio, and about six in West Virginia; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature and secured hundreds of subscriptions for Socialist papers; attended one city and one state convention. Is county organizer.

DAWSON, O. C., blacksmith, Heryetta, Texas. Born, Cotten county, Texas; formerly democrat and greenbacker; converted to Socialism through the Appeal; joined Socialist party at Henryetta, 1891; helped organize locals at Henryetta and Riverland; distributed several thousand pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for Socialist papers. Is secretary of local.

DEHN, Emilie, housekeeper, Waterville, Minn. Born, Waterville, Minn., Aug. 22, 1872; converted to Socialism by old Coming Nation, 1898; joined Socialist party at Minneapolis, Sept. 1, 1913, as member at large.

DENNIS, J. T., farmer and carpenter, Hanceville, Ala. Born, Michigan, Feb. 4, 1840; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading and studying science of government; joined Socialist party, 1902, as member at large.

DEUSER, Fannie E., housekeeper, St. Joseph, Mo. Born, Germany, Jan. 30, 1851; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal 17 years ago; joined Socialist party at St. Joseph, Mo. Is treasurer of local.

DEUTSCH, Emanuel, clerk, New York City. Born, New York, Jan. 15, 1895; converted to Socialism by reading So-

cialist periodicals, Appeal to Reason, "Merrie England," etc.; joined Socialist party at Local Bronx, April, 1913; attended Young People's Socialist league convention in Schenectady; distributed literature at open-air meetings, lectures and from house to house; secured many subscriptions for the Appeal. Is financial secretary of local and member of the executive committee and a Socialist Sunday school teacher.

DEWEY, Nelson, painter and decorator, Louisville, Nev. Born, Baldwin, Wis., Oct. 12, 1881; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Springfield, Nev., 1910; member of Louisville, Nev., local; helped organize locals at Springfield and Louisville, Nev.; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions to Socialist papers. Is secretary of local.

DIAS, Albert, miner, Elizabeth, Pa. Born, Sunnyside, Pa., Aug. 25, 1898; is not old enough to join the Socialist party, but will do so as soon as age will permit. Has distributed 4,000 or over pieces of Socialist literature; secured 20 subscriptions for other Socialist papers and has kept no record of the ones taken for the Appeal, but has sent in 68 in 1913.

DICKINSON, Frances, physician, Orange City, Fla. Born, Chicago, Jan. 19, 1856; no former political affiliations, being a woman; converted to Socialism through observation and experience of the effect of environment on human nature; joined Socialist party at DeLand, Fla.; helped organize locals at DeLand and Orange City, Fla.; attended national convention at Indianapolis, Ind.; was president of Harvey's Medical college twelve years.

DIEM, W. B., shoemaker, Cleveland, Okla. Born, Pennsylvania, Oct. 20, 1875; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading literature and doing some thinking; joined Socialist party at Cleveland, August, 1906; helped organize Cleveland local; distributed 10,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 1,000 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 472 for the Appeal; attended six city conventions. Has gained more valuable information from the Appeal than all other sources.

DIMOND, J. R., shoemaker, Keokuk, Iowa. Born, Louisville, Ky.; formerly republican, populist, greenbacker; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Keokuk; distributed many pieces of literature; secured 90 subscriptions for various Socialist publications and 75 for the Appeal in 1913; held offices of city councilman and assessor under old parties.

DITTBRENNER, H., piano tuner, St. Paul, Minn. Born, Russia, May 17, 1883; converted to Socialism by Appeal; joined Socialist party at St. Paul, October, 1913; secured 66 subscribers to the Appeal. Is organizer of local.

DOLLOFF, David G., farmer and poultryman, Jackson, N. H. Born, Jackson, N. H., July 9, 1845; formerly democrat; helped organize local at Glen, N. H.; secured 120 subscription to Appeal. Was town auditor for six years.

DOYING, C. E., farmer and carpenter, Nashua, N. H. Born, Canada, Sept, 16, 1840; formerly republican, probitionist and union reformer; converted to Socialism by studying and first opposing the movement; joined Socialist

party at Nashua, 1908; distributed many thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured 1,017 subscriptions to all Socialist papers and 867 to the Appeal; attended four city and six state conventions. Is organizer of local.

DRINKARD, F. A., machinist, Canadian, Texas. Born Huntsville, Texas, Aug. 17, 1876; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by Moyer-Haywood trial; joined party at Clovis, N. M., August, 1911; distributed several hundred pieces of literature; taken 160 subscriptions for Socialist papers, about 120 for the Appeal. Lost two jobs and had to quit another because of activity as Socialist.

DRUART, A. E., miner, Frontenac, Kan. Born, France, 1882; always was Socialist; joined party in Frontenac, 1912; secured one hundred subscriptions for Appeal. Is member of city council, elected by the Socialists.

DUNN, A., laborer, Newport, Ark. Born, Ohio, May 28, 1858; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by stray copy of Appeal; joined Socialist party, 1907, at Newport as member at large; distributed 800 pieces of Socialist literature.

DUNN, Stephen J., railroad conductor, Rhinelander, Wis. Born, New London, Wis, Jan. 3, 1884; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading the Appeal; joined Socialist party at Rhinelander, July, 1908; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for Socialist papers.

DUNLAP, Thomas Madison, farmer, Coweta, Okla. Born, Waynesville, Mo., Dec. 22, 1867; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by the Appeal to Reason and a Socialist encampment; joined Socialist party at Choska, October, 1910; member Local Coweta; distributed 1,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 300 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 200 for the Appeal; attended several city conventions and one state convention. Is secretary of local.

EDENS, A. J., stationary engineer, Miami, Ohio. Born, Missouri, 1878; formerly republican and democrat; converted to Socialism by an Appeal sent him by a cousin; fired from a job once because of being a Socialist.

EDWARD, J. E., laborer, Boulder, Colo. Born, April, 1857; formerly democrat and populist; converted to Socialism by thinking and reading; joined Socialist party in Canton, Ill., 1898; member of Boulder Branch B., Colo.; helped organize locals at Canton, Peoria, Ill., and Boulder, Colo.; attended state convention at Denver.

EINSTEIN, R., cigar maker ten years, merchant 27 years, Blairsville, Pa. Born, Meadville, May 17, 1863; formerly republican, populist, Socialist labor party; converted to Socialism through Coming Nation; joined party as member at large, 1896, at Blairsville; helped organize Locals Blacklick, Indiana and Coral; distributed 300,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for the Appeal and other Socialist papers; attended many city conventions. Is county secretary and state delegate. Been boycotted for 18 years.

ELDER, John J., yard conductor, Pittsburg, Pa. Born, Newport, Pa., March 4, 1861; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism through Appeal to Reason and Coming Nation, 1896; joined Socialist party at Pittsburg, September, 1907; member of branch 21st and 27th wards.

ELLERMEIER, George B., day laborer, Lodi, Cal. Born, Illinois, Aug. 10, 1879; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by conditions and Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Lodi, Cal., Jan. 22, 1913; distributed 1,500 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 50 subscriptions for the Appeal.

ELLIS, Birch, Co-operative Fire Insurand agent, Auburn, N. Y.; formerly republican and prohibitionist; converted to Socialism by lectures and Socialist literature; joined Socialist party at Auburn, N. Y., March, 1905; helped organize Auburn local; distributed hundreds of pieces of literature; secured a lot of subscriptions for Socialist papers; attended city convention of Auburn and one state convention of New York.

ELLISON, John W., job chaser, Indianapolis, Ind. Born, Sweden, Nov. 10, 1872; formerly political scab; driven to Socialism by force of circumstances; joined party at Indianapolis, March 17, 1911; attended one city, one state and one national convention. Has held several offices in the party. The Appeal was the first Socialist literature he ever read.

EMMERTHAL, Otto, molder, Ansonia, Conn. Born, Germany, Nov. 5, 1879; always Socialist sympathizer; joined Socialist party, Ansonia, 1913.

ENGE, Algot, fireman, Duluth, Minn. Born, Sweden, April 25, 1880; formerly independent; converted to Socialism through the Appeal; joined Socialist party at Duluth, Feb. 27, 1912.

EPPS, Wyndham R., plumber and steam fitter, Clifton Forge, Va. Born, Virginia, January, 1842; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading copy of Appeal to Reason picked

up on railroad train; joined Socialist party at Clifton Forge, 1910; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; has taken five hundred or more subscriptions to Socialist papers.

ERNEST, E. Z., printer, farmer and mechanic, Olathe, Kan. Born, Pennsylvania, June 27, 1899; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading "Looking Backward" and "Nationalism"; joined Socialist party at Olathe, 1891; helped organize a good many locals as an agitator; distributed many thousands of pieces of literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions for the Appeal and other Socialist papers. Is general organizer of labor exchange movement.

FABERT, Wm., farmer, West Plains, Mo. Born, Wisconsin, Dec. 5, 1855; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined party at West Plains three years ago; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for Socialist papers. Is literature agent of local.

FEATHERSTON, S. M., Visalia, Cal. Born, England, 1840; joined party at Visalia; always was interested in practical reform measures; gives liberally of both time and money and hopes that the world will be some better on account of his having lived. Has patented an automatic fly trap.

FESSANT, George, farmer, Springview, Neb. Born, Canada, Nov. 2, 1857; formerly populist; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Springview, Oct. 22, 1910; distributed 200 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 137 subscriptions to Socialist papers and 156 for the Appeal.

FINDLEY, W. D., farmer and laborer, Cove, Ore. Born, Mapleton, Kan., June

20, 1869; formerly prohibitionist; converted to Socialism by the Appeal; joined Socialist party at Terlton, Okla., 1903; member of Local Cove; distributed several thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; attended one county convention. Is local organizer.

FINKE, A. P., machinist, Argenta, Ark. Born, Germany, Feb. 11, 1876; converted to Socialism by the Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Argenta, Nov. 5, 1905; distributed 15,000 pieces of literature; secured 500 subscribers to various Socialist papers and 350 to the Appeal; attended one national convention. Is recording secretary of local. Was unjustly jailed and it made a red out of him.

FISHER, A. R., railroad agent, Atkins, Va. Born, Arcadia, N. C., Jan. 11, 1877; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal; distributed 1,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 225 subscriptions for Socialist papers and 200 for Appeal.

FISHER, M. H., lawyer, Bluff City, Ky. Born, Franklin, Dec. 25, 1840; helped organize local at Zion, Ky.

FITCH, Ernest, laborer, Coshocton, Ohio. Born, West Lafayette, July 31, 1886; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Coshocton, Nov. 18, 1912; helped organize Coshocton local; distributed 500 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 250 subscriptions to Socialist papers and 200 to Appeal; attended one city convention.

FLENNER, William Penn, plasterer, El Dorado, Kan. Born, Huntington, Pa., March 4, 1830; formerly union labor, populist, democrat and greenbacker; converted to Socialism by reading Socialist literature and seeing its need;

joined Socialist party at El Dorado, 1900; distributed 2,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured all the subscribers he could for Socialist papers and several hundred for the Appeal; attended two city and one state convention.

FRANK, Robert C., florist, Beardstown, Ill. Born, Germany, Sept. 24, 1862; formerly democrat; joined Socialist party at Beardstown, 1911; distributed hundreds of pieces of Socialist literature; secured 62 subscriptions to various Socialist papers and 73 to the Appeal to Reason.

FREELAND, Bert, horseshoer, Wilmington, Del. Born, Joliet, Ill., May 15, 1879; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by doing some thinking for himself; secured 50 subscriptions to the Appeal.

FREEMAN, Harry C., chauffeur, San Francisco, Cal. Born, July 26, 1883; formerly affiliated with all old parties; converted to Socialism by an empty stomach and street speaking; joined Socialist party, San Francisco, September, 1911; distributed many pieces of literature; secured 50 subscriptions for the Appeal; attended convention in San Francisco.

FITZGERALD, T. J., farmer, Kirksville, Mo. Born, Brownsville, Neb., Nov. 1, 1854; formerly greenbacker and populist; converted to Socialism by Appeal; joined Socialist party at Kirksville, April 17, 1904; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for the various Socialist papers; attended one city convention. Was the first white child to have been born in Nebraska.

FOLEY, Jas. W., farmer, Sutton, W. Va. Born, West Virginia, 1865; formerly

democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal; joined Socialist party at Sutton, 1913.

FOLSOM, A. P., farmer, Milton, Okla. Born, Council House, I. T., Dec. 13, 1866; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason and National Rip-Saw; joined party at Milton, 1910; member of Folsom school house local; helped organize locals at Milton, Folsom and Spiro; distributed hundreds of pieces of Socialist literature; secured 150 subscriptions to Socialist papers and 125 to Appeal; attended one state convention at Oklahoma City.

FOREMAN, Flora I., teacher, Denmark, Ore. Born, Glaseo, Kan.; converted to Socialism by observing the ardor of her father in the cause he loved; joined Socialist party in Portland, Ore., November, 1911; distributed over 8,000 pieces of Socialist literature; has secured 124 subscriptions for Socialist papers; attended Marion county, Oregon, convention and state convention in Portland; is principal in four-room school and has been threatened with dismissal because of her revolutionary teachings. Was dismissed from city school in Salem after two years' service because of activities in Socialist agitation.

FOSTER, R. M., farmer, Okemah, Okla. Born, Ohio, 1848; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Coming Nation; joined Socialist party at Okemah, 1904; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; attended one city and one state convention. Is secretary of local.

FOUTY, H. M., osteopathic physician, Mountain Grove, Mo. Born, Shelby county, Indiana, June 9, 1854; formerly republican and democrat; converted to Socialism through disgust for old

parties; joined Socialist local at Mountain Grove, 1908; helped organize Locals Mountain Grove and Liberty; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured 300 subscriptions for various Socialist papers. Is secretary of local.

FOX, Morris, carpenter and farmer, Londonville, Ohio. Born, Hayesville, Ohio, Feb. 24, 1869; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Mohican, Ohio, November, 1910; distributed over 1,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 150 subscribers to Appeal and other Socialist papers; lives eight miles from local to which he belongs.

FREEMAN, G. R., fruit vender, Cripple Creek, Colo. Born, Ohio, Sept. 21, 1854; formerly populist and prohibitionist; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal and other literature; joined Socialist party in Cripple Creek, March, 1902; helped organize locals in Cripple Creek and Woodland Park; distributed many hundreds of pieces of Socialist literature; secured 1,000 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 300 for the Appeal; attended four city and one state convention.

FREEMAN, J. L., Kenwood, N. Y. Born, Albany, N. Y., March 10, 1845; converted to Socialism by Bible, "Looking Backward" and "Equality"; joined Socialist party at Oneida.

GAUTHIER, Alex, miner, Cecil, Pa. Born, Belgium, June 27, 1871; joined Socialist party, 1908; secured 52 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 50 for the Appeal.

GENDT, Dominik, electrician, Federal, Pa. Born, Germany, 1874; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal.

GIBBS, John C., engineer, Georgetown, S. C. Born, Louisiana, Feb. 24, 1857; converted to Socialism by Henry George's single tax arguments and the rottenness in politics; joined Socialist party at Columbus, 1902; helped organize locals at Columbia, Charleston and Georgetown, S. C.; distributed 12,000 pieces of Socialist literature. Is financial secretary of local. Has been persecuted for Socialism in New Orleans, and is ready to undergo more persecution.

GILBERT, W. W., farmer, Commerce, Texas. Formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party, 1905; helped organize locals at Union Valley; distributed 10,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 700 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 500 for the Appeal; attended 12 city and two state conventions.

GILLESPIE, S. S., passenger conductor, Santa Maria, Cal. Born, Dubuque, Iowa, May 2, 1851; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by Coming Nation and the Appeal; joined Socialist party at Yuma, Ariz., 1892; member Local Santa Maria; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for various Socialist papers, including the Appeal; attended one city and one state convention. Had to leave Old Mexico for giving Appeal out to passengers on his train.

GOBERT, A., bottle blower, Haselhurst, Pa. Born, Belgium, 1880; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Hazelhurst, 1908.

GOEBEL, George H., carpenter, Newark, N. J. Formerly prohibitionist; converted to Socialism by many different

factors; joined Socialist party at Newark, N. J., January, 1900; member Local Essex, N. J.; helped organize locals in practically every state, 67 in one year alone; distributed countless pieces of Socialist literature; impossible to count number of subscriptions secured for the Appeal and other Socialist papers; 13,000 in one year; attended all state conventions in New Jersey, and all national conventions. Is a member of the present national executive committee. Was a member of the last national executive committee of the old Social Democratic party; served in every national convention; several times member of national committee; filled practically every office in the party except national secretary.

GOODWIN, Reginald L., pineapple grower, Fort Pierce, Fla. Born, Yarmouth, N. S., March 16, 1870; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by literature; joined Socialist party, Fort Pierce, Fla., 1913; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured more than a hundred subscriptions to the Appeal. Is secretary and literature agent of the local.

GRANGER, W. A., blacksmith, Laird, Miss. Born, Illinois, 1855; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by corruption in old parties; distributed 2,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 150 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 125 for the Appeal; attended one city and one state convention.

GREEN, A. F., physician, Cleveland Ohio. Born, New York, Feb. 2, 1861; formerly prohibitionist; converted to Socialism chiefly by the Appeal to Reason; never united with party; distributed literature and secured subscriptions through other comrades.

Says he belongs more to the commissary department than to the firing line.

GREENWALL, A. P., electrical worker, Ridgeway, Pa. Born, Ridgeway, Pa., April 16, 1880; formerly republican and prohibitionist; converted to Socialism by Appeal and a soapboxer who spoke on the street; joined Socialist party at Ridgeway, Sept. 25, 1910; helped organize locals in Elk county; distributed many thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for various Socialist papers and hundreds for the Appeal; attended one city and one county convention. Is county secretary.

GRUBER, Peter, mine motorman, Higbee, Mo. Born, Rich Hill, Mo., Dec. 16, 1888; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism through his father's agitation and the Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Elliott, March, 1911; helped organize locals at Elliott and Higbee; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured some subscriptions for Socialist papers and 50 for the Appeal.

GRUNEWALD, J. P., iron worker, Norfolk, Va. Born, Germany, March 25, 1856; converted to Socialism by reading the San Francisco Truth; joined Socialist party in San Francisco, 1884; member of Local Norfolk; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured subscriptions for the Appeal since its beginning; attended one city and one state convention. Is treasurer of local.

HALBERG, Martin, pianomaker, La Porte, Ind. Born, Sweden, Nov. 15, 1873; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal and old Coming Nation; joined Socialist party at Kansas City, Mo., 1908; member of La Porte, Ind.; helped organize

locals at Lawrence, Kan., and La Porte, Ind.; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscribers for Socialist papers. Is literary agent for the local.

HAMMERSTROM, A., farmer, miner, miller and now real estate and loan business, Barnesboro, Pa. Born, Sweden, Jan. 20, 1868; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by a Swedish paper called Forskarch and the Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Hastings, Pa., 1894, and at Barnesboro, 1910; helped organize branches Branesboro, Hastings, Beaverdale, South Fork, etc.; distributed thousands of pieces of literature; secured a good many subscriptions for the Appeal and other papers; attended one city convention. Is secretary of local.

HARRISON, H. L., locomotive engineer, Collinwood, Ohio. Born, Erie, Pa., April, 1864; no former political affiliations: converted to Socialism by reading Socialist party platform; joined Socialist party at Cleveland, O., 1910.

HART, Annie, rubber worker, Williamsport, Pa. Born, Pennsylvania, June, 1855; converted to Socialism by reading; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature and secured many subscriptions for Socialist papers.

HARTLEY, Abraham L., contractor and builder, Independence, Mo. Born, Tennessee, 1863; formerly republican, populist and prohibitionist; converted to Socialism by reading; joined Socialist party at Independence, 1909.

HASBROUCK, Geo. R., machinist, Ravenna, Ohio. Born, Ravenna, March 8, 1872; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism by instructions beginning in December, 1890; joined Socialist party at Ravenna May 10, 1910.

HASLAM, W. James, farmer and stock raiser, Hemet, Cal. Born, Canada, Quebeck, July 22, 1852; formerly populist; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason and talks by Socialists; joined Socialist party at Winchester, 1897; member at Hemet; distributed papers and pamphlets for seventeen years.

HASTEY, Wm., common laborer, Oolagah, Okla. Born, Detrot, Mich., May 22, 1862; formerly republican and populist; converted to Socialism by reading Coming Nation and the Appeal; joined Socialist party at Vera, Okla., 1905; member of Oolagah local; helped organize locals at Vera, Okla., Santa Fe, Kan., and Oolagah, Okla.; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature and secured many subscribers for Socialist papers; attended Socialist convention at Fredonia, Kan., and Santa Fe, Kan.

HAYNIEE, W. N., farmer, Lavin, Texas. Born, Little Rock, Ark., May, 1853; converted to Socialism by Appeal to reason; member Local Dewey, Texas. Is county chairman of the county organization.

HAWTHORNE, Jessie T., home maker, ex-teacher, Maywood, Ill. Born, Dundas, Minn., Sept. 12, 1870; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading "Servant in the House," and writings of Debs and others; joined Socialist party at Maywood, January, 1910; distributed many Socialist papers. Is branch secretary and interested in the woman's work inside the Socialist party.

HAXEL, Dr. C. C., Fowler, Ill. Born, Quincy, Ill., Feb. 17, 1868; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by the Appeal.

HEAD, J. W., farmer, Concordia, Kan. Born, Scott county, Kentucky, 1844;

formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by study; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions for Socialist papers; attended one city and one state convention. Is deputy sheriff of Cloud county.

HEAD, James R., farmer, Concordia, Kan. Born a Socialist; distributed all kinds of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscribers for Socialist papers.

HEALD, Milton, farmer, Joplin, Mo. Born, Jan. 3, 1850; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party in Joplin.

HERBERT, J. O., carpenter, Robinson, Ill. Born, Cloverdale, Ind., May 19, 1848; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Brazil, 1910; helped organize locals at Brazil, Cumot, Cloverdale; distributed 5,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions to Socialist papers; attended two city and two state conventions.

HENDERSON, Morris, head clerk grocery store, Dell Rapids, S. D. Born, Briscio, Iowa, July 3, 1877; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism through the Appeal; joined Socialist party at Dell Rapids, Feb. 12, 1313; distributed 1,000 pieces of Socialist literature and secured 100 subscriptions for the Appeal. Is working all the time for the new freedom.

HENRY, Edward, miner and farmer, Farmdale, Ohio. Born, Ohio, 1847; converted to Socialism by existing conditions; helped organize locals at Juneau, Alaska, Telluride, Colo.

HENRY, F. J., rug manufacturer, Taunton, Mass. Born, Taunton, 1870; for-

merly republican; converted to Socialism by hard knocks as machinist; joined Socialist local in Taunton, 1911; helped organize locals at Mansfield and Taunton; distributed tens of thousands of pieces of Socialist literature. Is organizer of his local.

HINCKLEY, T., plumber, steam fitter and machinist, Mt. Vernon, Ill. Born, Richview, Ill., Dec. 14, 1870; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by the Appeal; joined Socialist party at Mt. Vernon, 1911; distributed unknown numbers of Socialist literature and secured many subscriptions for Socialist papers. Filled places on township and city tickets.

HLAVACEK, Emanuel, motorman, Philadelphia, Pa. Born, Austria, July 6, 1880; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism by experience gained in the unions and in strikes; joined Socialist party at Philadelphia, Pa., 1906; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for all Socialist papers and about 75 for the Appeal. Has always been very active in union organizations, helping organize the Carmen's union in Philadelphia.

HOFFMEYER, L. W., lithographer, Akron, Ohio. Born, Detroit, Mich., Nov. 24, 1858; formerly independent in political affiliations; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal and Socialist books; joined party at Akron. Is librarian of Local Akron and was candidate for justice of peace.

HOGAN, J. C., editor, Monroe, N. Y. Born, New York City, Aug. 17, 1861; formerly prohibitionist; converted to Socialism by common sense and reading Appeal; joined Socialist party at Yonkers, 1904; member Local Royersford; helped organize locals at many points; distributed a million pieces

of Socialist literature; secured 935 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 735 for the Appeal; attended two state and one national convention. Is a Socialist speaker and has had trouble with the police closing halls in several places.

HOGENSTEIN, N. A., bookkeeper, Spencer, Neb. Born, Wisconsin, March 15, 1855; formerly democrat and republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason and other papers; joined Socialist party at Spencer 1913; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for various Socialist papers. Is justice and notary public, and always to be found on the firing line.

HOLLENDER, Julius W., shoe repairer and dealer, South Omaha, Neb. Born, Germany, January, 1868; converted to Socialism through dodgers, folders, speakers and Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at South Omaha, November, 1906; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; attended four city conventions and one state convention. Is treasurer of the local.

HOLES, Ben T., mine worker, Russellville, Ark. Born, Arkansas, 1874; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading literature and using common sense; joined Socialist party at Denning, Ark.; helped organize locals at several places; distributed several thousand pieces of Socialist literature; taken subscriptions for various Socialist papers. Is literature agent of local. Has been persecuted and blacklisted because of his political affiliations.

HOOVER, Frank C., railroad clerk, Huntingdon, Pa. Born, Grafton, Pa., March 30, 1878; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Wayland' essence of Socialism; joined So-

cialist party at Huntington, July 8, 1911; distributed 3,100 pieces of literature; secured 221 subscriptions for all Socialist papers, and 128 for the Appeal to Reason.. Is financial secretary of local.

HORNLER, P. J., merchant, Lock Haven, Pa. Born, Mill Port, Pa., 1861; formerly republican; converted to Socialism through the Appeal; joined Socialist party at Lock Haven, 1911; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for Appeal and other Socialist papers; attended one state and one city convention. Is county chairman of Socialist party.

HOSLI, Jopse, laborer, New Orleans, La. Born, New Orleans, Sept. 16, 1856; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism in 1904 by Appeal; joined Socialist party at New Orleans, 1906; distributed a great many pieces of Socialist literature and taken some subscriptions for Socialist papers.

HOUCK, Oscar, physician and surgeon, La Crosse, Wis. Born, Norway, April 21, 1860; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism by Bjornsteine Bjornsen, Zola and Appeal; joined Socialist party at La Crosse, 1911; distributed a great number of pieces of Socialist literature.

HOWARD, A. F., farmer, Cottage Grove, Ore. Born, Iowa, March 27, 1859; formerly republican, populist, democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal; joined Socialist local at Cottage Grove, 1906; distributed five thousand pieces of literature; taken many subscriptions to Socialist papers; attended four city and one state convention. Is secretary of local. Has taken Appeal since 1897.

HOWARD, J. J., laborer in fish house, Bokelia, Fla. Born, Pender county,

North Carolina, 1852; formerly democrat and republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal; joined Socialist party, 1911.

HUBBARD, J. W., farmer, Coalgate, Okla. Born, Tennessee, 1854; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Coalgate, 1910; member of Local Hubbard; helped organize locals at Coalgate, Pine; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions to Socialist papers; attended four county conventions

HUCK, Fred B., printer, carpenter, Roscoe, S. D. Born, Chicago, Ill., July 22, 1875; formerly democrat, prohibitionist and republican; converted to Socialism by the Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Roscoe, Oct. 1, 1912; distributed a great many pieces of Socialist literature; secured 50 subscriptions to the Appeal. Is local secretary. Held office of county constable for some time.

HUECKEL, Wm. H., Caseyville, Ill. Born, Caseyville, April 13, 1852; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading "Merrie England" and Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Caseyville, Dec. 2, 1909; helped organize locals at St. Clair; distributed hundreds of pieces of Socialist literature; secured about 3,000 pieces of Socialist literature for various Socialist papers and 2,000 for the Appeal; attended about 25 county conventions and one state convention. Is postmaster of town.

HUEBNER, Christian, machinist, Philadelphia, Pa. Born, Germany, Dec. 29, 1882; converted to Socialism through association with fellow workers and by reading Appeal; joined Socialist

party at Philadelphia, January, 1908; helped organize local Tioga; distributed at least 25,000 pieces of Socialist literature, secured about 300 subscriptions to various Socialist papers and 250 to the Appeal.

HUFF, G. R., farmer and teacher, Arlington, Ore. Born, Salem, Ill., March 7, 1859; converted to Socialism by taking opposite sides in all arguments; joined Socialist party at Arlington, Ore., 1905; member at large.

HUMMELL, Otto, clothing merchant, New Ulm, Minn. Born, New Ulm, Jan. 19; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason, debating and attending lectures; joined Socialist party, 1912; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for all Socialist papers.

HOUSTON, Z. T., teacher and farmer, Wellington, Kan. Born, Indiana, 1846; formerly republican and populist; converted to Socialism by workings of capitalism; joined Socialist party at Wellington, 1900; distributed 5,000 pieces of Socialist literature; taken many subscriptions to Socialist papers. Is secretary of local.

IRISH, J. L., farmer, La Crosse, Kan. Born, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Nov. 22, 1864; formerly republican, democrat and populist; converted to Socialism through reading the Appeal; joined Socialist party at La Crosse, December, 1910; distributed 8,000 pieces of Socialist literature; taken 240 subscriptions for Socialist papers, including 120 for the Appeal.

IVERSON, Ingmar M., carpenter and fireman, Madison, S. D. Born, Moody county, S. D., Oct. 8, 1886; converted to Socialism by reading and studying; joined Socialist party at Madison, S. D., Jan. 1, 1913; helped organize locals

at Chester and Colman; distributed 800 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 150 subscriptions for the various Socialist papers and 120 for the Appeal. Is corresponding secretary for local.

JACOB, Peter, barber, Wall, Pa. Born, Chambersburg, Aug. 27, 1856; formerly republican and democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Coming Nation; joined Socialist party in Wilmerding; member Local Wall; distributed many kinds of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for the Appeal and other Socialist papers. Is financial secretary of local and school director.

JACOBS, W. M., gas superintendent, Parsons, Kan. Born, Pennsylvania, 1862; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal; joined Socialist party at Parson, 1908; distributed 1,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions for the Appeal and other Socialist papers. Is secretary of local.

JACOBSON, Joel H., attorney and business man, Syracuse, N. Y. Born, Potsdam, N. Y.; formerly progressive republican; converted to Socialism through literature; distributed 3,000 pieces of literature; secured 60 subscriptions to various Socialist papers and 52 for the Appeal. Cast first vote for Socialist party last fall.

JAMES, William S., physician, Cleveland, Ohio. Born, Warren, Ohio, Oct. 16, 1858; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Third ward branch, Cleveland, Ohio, April 16, 1911; helped with organization work in Cleveland; distributed a great many pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscribers to various Socialist publications; was candidate

for councilman in Third ward, Cleveland, at last election. Is about to organize a Socialist school.

JARVENPAA, John K., common laborer, Green, Mich. Born, Finland, April 10, 1884; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party, July 13, 1911; distributed 2,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 115 subscribers for various Socialist papers and 65 for the Appeal. During one year mailed out Socialist literature to friends and prospective converts to the amount of $10 for postage.

JEFFERSON, George C., mechanic, Berkeley, Cal. Born, South Lea, Mass., Sept. 18, 1840; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Coming Nation; joined Socialist party Woodland, Cal., Aug. 17, 1900; distributed 111,957 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 400 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 315 for the Appeal to Reason; attended one city and one state convention. Considers the Appeal the greatest propaganda force in the United States today.

JENKINS, S. C., teamster, Tuolumne, Cal. Born, Kentucky, Feb. 29, 1855; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Tuolomne, 1908.

JOHNSTON, Ernest W., farmer, Beach, N. D. Born, Canton, S. D., April 3, 1879; formerly republican; converted to Socialism through a friend who sent him the Appeal; joined Socialist party April, 1913.

JOHNSON, Leroy, farmer, Garland, Ark. Born, Louisiana, 1853; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party, 1911; distributed 125 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 54 subscriptions to the Appeal.

JOHNSON, Mrs. Nels, tailor, Higgins, Texas. Born, Nebraska, Oct. 6, 1862; formerly democrat, greenbacker and populist; converted to Socialism by Appeal and soapboxers in 1904; joined Socialist party at Ft. Smith, Ark., 1905; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature and taken many subscriptions for Socialist papers; attended conventions at Little Rock and Huntington, Ark.

JONES, C. T., Jasonville, Ind. Born, Cardif, Wales, 1879; formerly republican; joined Socialist party at Jasonville.

JONES, P. S., pattern clerk, Franklin, Pa. Born, Pennsylvania, Dec. 15, 1877; formerly republican and prohibitionist; converted to Socialism through Appeal; joined Socialist party at Rocky Grove, February, 1911; distributed about 1,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 250 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 80 for the Appeal; attended two city conventions. Is financial secretary of local.

JONES, W. H., carpenter, Ellendale, N. D. Born, Russellville, Ill., August, 1842; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal; joined Socialist party at Ellendale; distributed a great many pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for the Appeal.

KAHLER, J. E., moulder, South Williamsport, Pa. Born, Hughesville, Dec. 13, 1863; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal; joined Socialist party at Williamsport, February, 1910; helped organize one local; distributed many pieces of

Socialist literature; secured a large number of subscriptions for Appeal. Is financial secretary of local.

KANE, Wm., boiler maker, Davidson, Okla. Born, Philadelphia, 1870; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism in 1909; joined Socialist party in Oklahoma 1913; member of Local Frederick; helped organize locals at Redbuff and Frederick; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature and secured many subscriptions to the Socialist papers; attended one city and one county convention.

KEATOR, Charles, miner, Cheat Bridge, W. Va. Born, Binghamton, N. Y., 1864; indifferent as to political affiliations; converted to Socialism by Appeal; joined Socialist party in West Virginia, 1910; helped organize local at Durbin, W. Va. Member at large at present.

KING, Chas. R., boilermaker, Charleston, Wash. Born, Williamsport, Pa., Feb. 2, 1873; formerly populist; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal and hearing speakers; joined Socialist party Charleston, 1907; distributed thousands of pieces of literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions for Socialist publications and 200 for the Appeal.

KING, Robert E., steel worker, Kansas City, Kan. Born, Urfane, Feb. 11, 1878; formerly populist; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal during Moyer-Haywood trial; joined Socialist party at Argentine, 1908; distributed a large amount of Socialist literature; secured 600 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 500 for the Appeal; attended two city conventions. Is secretary of local.

KINNEY, I. E., baker, Arkansas City, Kan. Born, Fremont, Iowa, Jan. 6, 1866; formerly republican; converted

to Socialism by reading of persecution of Appeal and its staff; joined Socialist party at Arkansas City, Aug. 19, 1912; distributed over 1,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 300 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 100 for the Appeal. Is instrumental in converted on an average of one man a month to Socialism.

KIRBY, K. C., merchant, Melrose, N. M. Born, Fairfield, Mo., Jan. 2, 1859; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal; joined party at Melrose; distributed 2,000 pieces of litreature; secured 300 subscriptions for Socialist papers and 200 for Appeal to Reason.

KIRBY, W. P., laborer, Elinor, Cal. Born, Flower Field, Mich., 1847; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by Appeal; joined Socialist party, Fortuna, Cal., 1900; did propaganda work all through the mountain sections of California where it is too thickly settled to form locals; distributed hundreds of pieces of literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions to Socialist papers and more than one hundred to the Appeal; attended Humboldt county convention. Is literature agent of his local and one of the war horses in his community.

KINSLEY, A. E., collector and organizer, Findlay, Ohio. Born, Selkirk, Ont., Can., April 4, 1861; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal, "Looking Backward" and "Equality"; joined Socialist party at Findlay, September, 1906; secured about 1,000 subscriptions for the Appeal since 1902.

KLAHR, Elmer E., merchant, Aransas Pass, Texas. Born, Milton county, Ohio, Jan. 1, 1874; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Hig-

ns, 1903; member of Aransas Pass cal; helped organize locals at Higns, Estes, Aransas Pass; distributed),000 pieces of Socialist literature; ecured 500 subscribers to Socialist pers; and two or three hundred to he Appeal. Is literature agent of cal.

ESEH, Michael M., law student, Clevend, Ohio. Born, Hungary, Sept. 15, 88; formerly democrat; converted to ocialism by Appeal to Reason given im by mail carrier; joined Socialist arty at Cleveland, April 27, 1913.

INGER, F. H., car inspector, Lebanon, a. Born, Pennsylvania, 1872; formerly democrat; converted to Socialsm by Appeal to Reason; joined party t Lebanon, 1908; helped organize Lebnon local. Is literature agent of his cal.

LACHNY, J. V., druggist and pharacist, Ft. Cobb, Okla. Born, Keokuk, owa Nev. 2, 1868; formerly demorat; converted to Socialism through onversation and literature; joined Sialist party at Hennesy, Okla., 1901; nember at Ft. Cobb, Okla.; helped oranize locals at Hennesy, Enid and t. Cobb, Okla.; distributed 6,000 ieces of Socialist literature; secured 00 subscriptions for Socialist publiations and 300 for the Appeal; atended five state conventions and two ational ones. Is secretary of his ocal and member of council in the own. Says he never lost any busiess on account of Socialism.

RHUMMEL, Leo, shoemaker, Fairbury, Neb. Born, Germany, 1858; formerly republican, populist and demorat; converted to Socialism by Vorwarts; joined Socialist party, Omaha, 1902; attended one city Socialist convention and one state convention in Omaha; member Local Fairbury.

KRUESI, Walter E., social worker, Schenectady, N. Y. Born, Menlo Park, N. J., Sept. 3, 1881; converted to Socialism by co-workers in machine shop and by his wife; joined Socialist party at Boston, June, 1907; member Local Schenectady; distributed at least 4,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 500 subscriptions for the various Socialist papers; attended two city conventions and three state conventions. Is member of official district judicial committee. Was commissioner of charities in city of Schenectady under Socialist administration, 1911-13. Has been disowned by family and friends and fired from big jobs for being too much of a Socialist.

KUECHT, Karl, pharmacist, Popular Bluff, Mo. Born, Germany, June 27, 1857; converted to Socialism through observation and study; joined Socialist party at Chicago, 1877; member Poplar Bluff local; distributed about 50,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for Socialist papers; attended 20 city conventions and one national convention. Is secretary of local.

KRUKE, Walter G., merchant tailor, Corning, N. Y. Born, London, England, March 5, 1857; formerly single taxer; evolved into Socialism; joined Socialist party at Corning, October, 1900; distributed lots of literature and taken many subscriptions to Socialist papers.

LACY, H. S., common laborer, Leslie, Ark. Born, Virginia, Sept. 13, 1860; formerly greenback and populist; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Leslie May, 1911; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for Socialist papers; attended one county convention.

LADD, F. C., merchant, Glendale, Ore. Born, Mantua, Ohio, Oct. 4, 1866; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by learning that it was impossible to be both honest and a financial success under the competitive system; joined Socialist party at Glendale, 1909; secured 200 subscribers for Appeal. Is local secretary and county and state committeeman.

LANGHORST, W. C., physician, Aurora, Ill. Born, Palestine, Ill., 1869; formerly democrat; joined Socialist party in Aurora, Nov. 19, 1911; distributed or aided in the distribution of 20,000 pieces of Socialist literature; has written two Socialist leaflets, entitled "What's Right" and "Does the Devil Love You?"

LANSDOWN, Robert, actor, New York, N. Y. Born, Canton, Ill., March 9, 1873; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Bellamy's "Looking Backward," Benson's "Socialism," the New York Worker and Social-Democratic Herald; joined party in New York, 1908; member of Branch 7, Bronx; is organizer for several branches and was candidate for coroner at the first county election of the Bronx and is also literature agent for Branch 7. Is now employed in the New York Zoological society and Edison studio. Helped organize the Chorus union at the Hippodrome in 1906. Also a member of the Cigar Packers' union.

LAURY, David, cook and proprietor of Debs hotel, Colville, Wash. Born, Pennsylvania, Nov. 14, 1852; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading the Appeal during the Haywood trial; joined Socialist party at Colville, May, 1908; helped organize locals at Millville; distributed literature for all kinds of Socialist propaganda work; attended three city conventions and one state convention. Is correspondent of local.

LEISSLER, J. C., carpenter and cabinet maker, Galveston, Texas. Born, Missouri, Feb. 22, 1868; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism through disgust for old parties; joined Socialist party at Galveston, 1907; distributed 4,000 pieces of literature; secured 100 subscriptions for the various Socialist papers and 50 for the Appeal. Thinks that Socialism is our only hope.

LEONARD, L. E., plumber, Kennett, Cal. Born, Rochester, N. Y., March 14, 1861; formerly populist; converted to Socialism through study; joined Socialist party at Susanville, 1898; member of Kennett local; helped organize locals at Susanville, Anderson and Kennett; attended three city conventions. Is financial secretary of local.

LESTER, Jas. T., retired teacher, Jackson, Miss. Born, Columbus, Miss., Aug. 2, 1839; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Socialist literature, especially Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Jackson, Nov. 2, 1900; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions for various Socia ist papers and the Appeal; attended one city and one state convention. Is member of campaign committee.

LINDEN, Thos. D., farmer, Kingsburg, Cal. Born, Sweden, Sept. 10, 1876; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Selma, July, 1911; member Kingsburg; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature and secured many subscribers to Socialist papers.

LINDEN, Wm. A., locomotive engineer, Bowie, Ariz. Formerly democrat; con-

verted to Socialism by reading Appeal and thinking; joined Socialist party at Yuma, Ariz., January, 1912; distributed 200 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 125 subscription for all Socialist papers and 111 for the Appeal.

LINDEN, William Jos., brewmaster, Shamokin, Pa. Born, Germany, Oct. 4, 1873; converted to Socialism by John Most in 1891; joined Socialist party 1912.

LINDSEY, J. M., farmer, El Centro, Cal. Born, Georgia, 1850; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal.

LINE, John, farmer, Portesville, Cal. Born, Arkansas, Jan. 7, 1852; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by studying; joined party at Portersville, 1902. Is financial secretary of local.

LINVILLE, M., Dellinger, printer, Lititz, Pa. Born, York county, Pennsylvania, 1853; formerly republican, converted to Socialism by reading Appeal; joined Socialist party at Lititz, 1903; secured 250 subscriptions for the Appeal. Is correspondening secretary of local.

LOTSPEICH, J. N., minister, Morristown, Tenn. Born, Greene county, Tennessee; converted to Socialism by Appeal; organized local and joined party at Morristown, 1909; secured many subscriptions for the Appeal; ran for mayor on Socialist ticket two times and was threatened with arrest for street speaking; was nominated as candidate for United States senate at last state convention. Is a Socialist because he does not believe in the thieving laws enacted by the thieves that give a few people all of the land, railroads and mines and other means of production and distribution and legislates millions of human beings to want and poverty.

LOTT, Bernhard, Danville, Kan. Born, Baden, Germany, July 24, 1830; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism sixteen years ago by Appeal; distributed great many pieces of literature; taken many subscriptions for Socialist papers.

LOWE, R. H., farmer and merchant, Aurora, N. C. Born, Goldsboro, N. C., Dec. 19, 1851; formerly democrat and populist; converted to Socialism by reading Coming Nation when it was printed at Greensboro, N. C.; joined Socialist party as member at large five years ago; helped organize locals at Spring Creek, Small and Aurora, N. C.; distributed many pieces of literature; secured many subscriptions to Socialist papers; ran for congress and corporation commissioner.

LOYD, Edward W., watchman, Connellsville, Pa. Born, Pennsylvania, April 20, 1871; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading platform and the Appeal; joined Socialist party at Connellsville, 1908; helped organize local at Monarch; distributed 5,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 500 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 200 for the Appeal; attended two city conventions. Is secretary of local.

LYTTON, T. W., general agent, Tishomingo, Okla. Born, Hopkinton, Mass., 1857; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Ravia, 1908; member Local No. 1, Tishomingo; helped organize locals at several different places; distributed hundreds of pieces of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions to Socialist papers and to the Appeal; attended one city and one state convention. Is county and local secretary.

McCARTY, Con, locomotive fireman, Kansas City, Kan. Born, Missouri,

Feb. 12, 1870; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; distributed several thousand pieces of Socialist literature; secured 250 subscriptions for Appeal.

McCOLLEY, Lloyd, farmer, Lowell, Ind. Born, Crown Point, Ind., May 9, 1876; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal; joined Socialist party at Lowell, 1912; secured 32 subscriptions to Appeal.

McCOSH, Harry, farmer, Eaton, Colo. Born, Pennsylvania, Sept. 11, 1868; formerly populist; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party as member at large, Nov. 11, 1910; distributed several thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured 500 subscriptions for the Appeal.

McDOWELL, D. G., cotton piece dyer, Millville, N. J. Born, Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 22, 1869; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal and thinking; joined Socialist party at Millville, 1912; member local Cumberland; helped organize local at Vineland; distributed many thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; attended city convention at Newark, N. J. Is treasurer of his local.

McFEE, G. W., farmer, Rannsells, Cal. Born, Ohio, July 7, 1853; formerly republican; joined Socialist party at Neighbors, Cal.

McGEE, Martin, foreman, Middleton, O. Born, Dresden, Ohio, April 13, 1879; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading; joined Socialist party at Middleton, December, 1910; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature and secured many subscriptions for Socialist papers; attended one city convention. Is literature agent of local.

McIVER, D. F., smelter worker, Bartlesville, Okla. Born, North Carolina, 1870; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading the Appeal; joined Socialist party, 1911; helped organize locals at West Bartlesville; distributed 2,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 200 subscriptions to Socialist papers and 100 to the Appeal; attended one city convention. Is county secretary for the Socialist party and holds office of justice of the peace.

McKINNEY, George C., steel car repairer, Avis, Pa. Born, Lock Haven, Pa.; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by loss of property and arguments of Socialists; joined Socialist party, 1911; distributed about 1,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured about 100 subscriptions for the Appeal.

McMILLAN, A. T., station agent, Jenny Lind, Ark. Born, Burr Oak, Mich., June 8, 1872; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason.

McWHORTER, Joe G., locomotive engineer, Raton, N. M. Born, Graceson county, Texas, Sept. 4, 1864; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Wayland's writings back in the 80's; joined Socialist party at Raton, 1889; helped organize locals at El Paso, Texas, and Raton, N. M.; kept no record of literature distributed nor subscriptions taken, but has done his share of that kind of work. Is secretary of local. Has one of the first Appeals ever published. Was blacklisted off the Santa Fe in 1886.

MADOLE, W. J., merchant, Paris, Tenn. Born, Canada, November, 1854; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Coming Nation published at Greencastle, Ind.; joined

Socialist party at Paris, Tenn., Aug. 8, 1912; solicited subs for twenty years for the Coming Nation and Appeal. Is secretary of local.

MAHON, W. T., farmer, Joseph, Ore. Born, Illinois, March 8, 1858; formerly democrat and populist; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason, joined Socialist party at Joseph, July, 1909; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature and secured many subscriptions for Socialist papers; attended convention at Portland. Is financial secretary of local.

MAIR, C. A., superintendent of candy factory, Council Bluffs, Iowa. Born May 24, 1879; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason. Considers the Appeal the best medium for the propaganda of Socialism because it is printed in a language that any one may understand and because it sets people to thinking of conditions as they are.

MALCOMB, W. P., conductor, Houston, Texas. Born, Colfax, Ind., Aug. 14, 1871; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading "Looking Backward"; joined Socialist party at Houston, Texas, July 10, 1912; distributed 1,000 Appeals; secured 100 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 50 for the Appeal.

MALOTT, Ernest, glass bottle blower, Marion, Ind. Born, Indiana, Oct. 11, 1872; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by listening to Lockwood of Michigan and reading "Merrie England"; joined Socialist party at Marion, 1900; helped organize locals at Gas City and branches in Marion; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured 1,000 subs for various Socialist papers; attended several city conventions and two state

conventions. Is member of the county executive committee. Attributes his success in the movement to the cooperation of comrades.

MARCHANT, J. P., landlord, Girard, Ala. Born, Girard; converted to Socialism by having it instilled into him; no former political affiliations; joined Socialist party at Phenix, 1909; helped organize locals in Florida, Alabama and Tennessee; distributed many thousands of pieces of literature; secured two or three hundred subscriptions to Socialist newspapers; attended one city convention, two state conventions. Is mayor of the town in which he lives.

MARKLE, W. E., cement manufacturer, York, Neb. Born, Alexandria, Ind., Aug. 6, 1886; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Debs lectures, Appeal and study of platform; joined Socialist party at Muncie, Ind., October, 1910; member Local York; distributed 100 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 50 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 300 for the Appeal; attended one state and one city convention. Is financial secretary of local.

MARTIN, Charles E., laborer, York, Pa. Born, York county, Pennsylvania, March 23, 1884; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by studying conditions as they exist and reading book by Jaures; joined Socialist party in West York, June, 1912; distributed 2,500 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 200 subscriptions to various Socialist papers and 145 for the Appeal; attended two city conventions. Is secretary of local.

MARTIN, J. L., cigarmaker, New Haven, Conn. Born, Gettysburg, Pa., Jan. 17, 1871; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal in 1905; joined Socialist party at Providence,

R. I., Oct. 2, 1905; member of Local New Haven; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured 50 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 50 for the Appeal; attended one city and one state convention. Is financial secretary of local.

ARSHALL, W. E., farmer, Bonham, Texas. Born, March 30, 1849; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal; joined Socialist party at Bonham, 1895; distributed 10,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 800 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 300 for the Appeal.

ATTESON, Porter, locomotive fireman, Erie, Pa. Born, Edinboro, Pa., March 20, 1913; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal; joined Socialist party at Erie, 1911; distributed 2,000 pieces of Socialist leaflets and secured 100 subscriptions for various Socialist papers. Can always be found "at it."

ARVELL, Charles, plater, Evansville, Ind., May 11, 1879; formerly republican; converted to Socialism through a friend handing him Appeal; joined Socialist party, Aug. 22, 1901; member Local Vanderburgh; distributed over 10,000 pieces of literature; kept no record of subscriptions taken, but secured several hundred. Is librarian at local.

AD, John, machinist, Jackson, Mich. Born, England, Sept. 4, 1858; formerly greenbacker; converted to Socialism through the Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Jackson. In two years he has spent $117 for Socialist literature.

SSNER, Peter M., barber, Ambridge, Pa. Born, Europe, May 27, 1888; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Ambridge, Pa.

MIDKIFF, Harry Clemm, shoemaker, Clarksburg, W. Va. Born, Jackson county, West Virginia, Dec. 14, 1876; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal; joined Socialist party at Clarksburg, W. Va., May, 1911; member local Union Heights; helped organize locals at Union Heights and Admston; distributed 3,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for the various Socialist papers and the Appeal. Was Socialist nominee for justice of peace in 1912.

MILLER, August Carl, farmer, Williston, N. D. Born, St. Joseph, Mo., Oct. 14, 1867; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Williston May, 1907; member Local East Fork; helped organize Locals East Fork and Tyrone; distributed a great deal of literature; secured many subscriptions to the Appeal and other Socialist papers; attended one city convention. Is literature agent for local.

MILLER, Carl F., steel trimmer, Philadelphia, Pa. Born, Germany, Oct. 16, 1878; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party in Philadelphia, 1907; distributed 2,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for the Appeal and other Socialist papers.

MILLARD, Mrs. J. R., housewife, Springwater, Ore. Born, Iowa, Oct. 24, 1870; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party June 7, 1913. Is secretary of local.

MILLER, C. C., mechant and farmer, Maynardville, Tenn. Born, Union county, Tennessee, Dec. 24, 1884; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Rip-Saw and Appeal to Rea-

son; joined Socialist party at Maynardville, 1910; distributed 500 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 150 subscriptions to various Socialist papers and 80 for the Appeal. Was nominee of Socialists for trustee and congress. Spoke with Dick Austin and J. C. Williams.

ILLER, C. B., farmer, Charlotte, N. C. Born, Charlotte, N. C., Jan. 29, 1876; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal handed him by friend; joined Socialist party at Charlotte, August, 1912; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literaerature; secured hundreds of subscriptions for Appeal and other Socialist papers. Is financial secretary of local.

ILLER, W. M., air break inspector, Williamson, W. Va. Born, Kentucky, Feb. 22, 1879; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Williamson, 1911; member at large.

ONTROSE, J. G., windsor glass blower, Utica, Ohio. Born, Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 7, 1880; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason before old enough to vote; joined Socialist party at Marión, Ind., 1901; member of Utica at present; helped organize locals at Marion and Utica; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions for Socialist papers; attended convention at Columbus, Ohio, 1911 and 1912. Is secretary of local.

OORE, E. L., lawyer, Wagoner, Okla. Born, Boonsboro, Ark., March 3, 1863; formerly independent politically; converted to Socialism by reading literature, especially the platform; joined the party at Wagoner, January, 1908; helped organize locals at 20 places;

distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; taken many subscriptions for Socialist papers; member state executive committee. Has made over one hundred speeches without any pay.

MORRILL, I. N., locomotive engineer, Minneapolis, Minn. Born, Lansing Minn., Aug. 1, 1863; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Socialist papers; joined Socialist party Minneapelis, August, 1910; helped organize local at Frederic, Wis.; distributed much Socialist literature; taken many subscriptions to Socialist papers. Swears allegiance to Appeal in the future.

MORRIS, E. W., carriage painter, Waxahachie, Texas. Born, Houston, Texas, Nov. 20, 1876; converted to Socialism by the Appeal; joined Socialist party at Oklahoma City, 1900. Is president of local painters' union. Believes that a good way to propagate Socialism is to do so inside the union.

MOTTEN, John B., miner, Beaverdale, Pa. Born, Belgium, Oct. 9, 1846; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by literature; joined Socialist party in Belgium, 1877; present member of Beaverdale; helped organize locals at Patton, Six Mile Run, Longdale and Beaverdale; attended one city and one county convention.

MOYER, R. F., railroad conductor, Toledo, Ohio. Born, Delta, Ohio, Feb. 13, 1878; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Wilshire's Magazine and Appeal; joined Socialist party in Ohio, Oct. 10, 1910; member Local Mansfield; distributed some literature every day; secured many subscriptions for various Socialist papers including Appeal.

MYERS, Eugene R., moulder and real estate agent, Alvin, Texas. Born, De-

catur, Ill., Jan. 24, 1870; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal; joined party at Alvin, Illinois, 1911.

YERS, Mack, jeweler, Findlay, Ohio. Born, Leipsic, Ohio, Feb. 16, 1883; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal; joined Socialist party at Findlay, 1907; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature and taken many subscriptions for Socialist papers.

ULHOLLAND, Joseph, miner, Springfield, Ill. Born, England, March 12, 1889; natural born rebel; joined Socialist party in Springfield soon after arriving in U. S.; not yet a citizen of United States; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; taken 150 subs for Appeal. Is secretary of local miners' union and is taking the Appeal law course.

UMFORD, D. P., oil worker, Coody's Bluff, Okla. Born, Pennsylvania, 1851; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Hartford City, Ind.: helped organize locals at Cody's Bluff, Hartford, Ind.; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; attended several state conventions. Is secretary of local.

UNDEN, W. I., blacksmith, Verona, Pa. Born, Pennsylvania, Oct. 30, 1850; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by Appeal and failure of old party to correct evils; joined Socialist party at Verona, 1905; member of Allegheny county local; distributed many pieces of literature and secured many subscriptions for Socialist papers.

AIL, James, farmer, Custer, Okla. Born, Indiana, Nov. 15, 1851; formerly republican and populist; converted to Socialism principally by reading Appeal; joined Socialist party at Custer, 1908; distributed many pieces of literature; taken many subscriptions to Socialist papers; attended one city and one state convention. Is county chairman of the Socialist party.

NEAL, Otto C., electrical worker, St. Louis, Mo. Born, St. Louis, Aug. 6, 1895; converted to Socialism through the Appeal to Reason; joined Y. P. S. L. Jan. 26, 1912; distributed 1,500 pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for the Appeal.

NEBLICK, W. H., Calvin, Okla. Born, Washington county, Pennsylvania, Feb. 19, 1848; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Calvin, 1908.

NELSON, Peter Otto, optician, Thief River Falls, Minn. Born, Sweden, Dec. 19, 1857; converted to Socialism eight years ago; joined Socialist party in Thief River Falls, 1912; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; taken 143 subscriptions for Appeal to Reason. Was justice of peace at one time.

NEWTON, W. C., farmer and stock raiser, Haskell, Texas. Born, Georgia, July 8, 1852; formerly greenbacker and popu ist; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Maltse, April, 1909; member of Haskell local; helped organize locals at Maltse and Haskell. Is secretary of local.

NESTLEREDE, Harry R., car worker, Jersey Shore, Pa. Born, Blanchard, Pa., Nov. 30, 1883; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism by Appeal and conversations; joined Socia ist party at Charleroi, Pa., May 26, 1908; member of Local Avis, Pa.; distributed [illegible] pieces of literature; secured 400 subscriptions to Socialist

papers and 200 to the Appeal; attended two city conventions. Is financial secretary and treasurer of local.

EWIND, Lawrence, carriage stripper, Cincinnati, Ohio. Born, Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 23, 1869; formerly a democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason and other literature; joined Socialist party at Cincinnati, Ohio, March, 1912; member of Nineteenth ward branch; helped organize Twentieth ward branch of Cincinnati; distributed 200 pieces of Socialist literature. Is treasurer of local.

MOCK, Wm., teacher, Rochelle, La. Born, Ontario, Canada, March 31, 1866; formerly populist; converted to Socialism by Appeal; joined Socialist party at Georgetown; has distributed 300 pieces of Socialist literature; secured upwards of 600 subscriptions for the various Socialist papers and 76 for the Appeal; is secretary of local. Was candidate for congress at last election on the Socialist ticket.

RTON, N. B., barber, Guyon, Okla. Born, Ohio, 1867; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Socialist literature and hearing speakers; joined Socialist party at Guymon, 1912; distributed over 600 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 50 subscriptions to the Appeal; attended one city and two state conventions.

VAK, Blase, E. E. Pittsburg, Pa. Born, Austria, Jan. 21, 1888; converted to Socialism through the trade union; joined Socialist party at Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 15, 1912; secured 150 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 50 for the Appeal. Is branch secretary of local.

TTING, R. A., shoemaker, Brockton, Mass. Born, Canton, Mass., Oct. 22, 1868; formerly independent; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason and books and pamphlets; joined Socialist party at Brockton, Aug. 1, 1908; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature and secured some subscriptions for the Appeal and other papers; attended city convention at Blockton. Is assistant financial secretary of local. Always goes armed with mental dynamite.

O'BOYLE, W. J., telegrapher, Phoenixville, Pa. Born, Tucketon, Pa., April 23, 1879; formerly independent; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Phoenixville, May, 1909; helped organize locals at Morristown, Pa.; distributed 5,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for all Socialist papers. Is recording secretary of local.

OETTEL, Max J., tailor, Philadelphia, Pa. Born, Germany, May 22, 1866; formerly independent politically; converted to Socialism by hard work, small income and long hours; joined Socialist party, Philadelphia, November, 1912; distributed 30 Socialist books; secured 75 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 50 subscriptions for the Appeal.

OLSON, Berger, carpenter, Denver Colo. Born, Norway, March 5, 1866; converted to Socialism through populism; joined Socialist party in Denver, Oct. 6, 1910; member of Sixteenth ward branch; distributed 5,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 75 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 60 for Appeal to Reason; attended one city convention in Denver and one state convention. Is financial secretary for his branch and also county committeeman.

ORLEBEKE, John, department manager and buyer for department store, Sheboygan, Wis. Born, Oostburg, Wis.,

April 5, 1873; formerly republican; converted to Socialism through reading books and Appeal.

OSBORNE, H. P., farmer, Reedley, Cal. Born, Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 11, 1850; formerly democrat, greenbacker, populist; joined Socialist party at Fairfield, Tenn., 1904; member of Reedley, Cal., local; helped organize locals at Shelbyville, Tenn., and Reedley, Cal.; distributed unknown numbers of pieces of Socialist literature; secured unknown numbers of subscriptions to Appeal. Is local treasurer.

OSGOOD, E. L., carpenter, Los Angeles, Cal. Born, Cincinnati, Ohio, Nov. 24, 1840; formerly republican and populist; converted to Socialism by studying theory of national ownership; joined Branch 4 of Los Angeles; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscribers to Socialist papers; attended city conventions.

OTT, F. M., machinist, Hartford, Conn. Born, New York, Nov. 20, 1856; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism through greenbackism; distributed thousands of pieces of literature. Has been discharged from his job for voting the labor ticket.

OUGHTON, Thos. R., miner, Murpheysboro, Ill. Born, England, March 6, 1860; formerly greenbacker; converted to Socialism by reading Coming Nation when at Ruskin; joined Socialist party at Murpheysboro.

OWEN, Carl, wood and coal dealer, Joplin, Mo. Born, Kentucky, April 21, 1869; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party, Joplin, Mo., 1896; helped organize first local in Jasper county; secured many subscriptions for Socialist papers; attended

all Socialist conventions held in Joplin; candidate for most of city offices; life subscriber to Appeal. Distributes fifteen Appeals per week.

PANEK, Frank., carpenter, Decorah, Ia. Born, Bohemia, Sept. 25, 1879; formerly republican; converted to Socialism through reading the Appeal and other papers; joined Socialist party at Decorah, May, 1913; is treasurer of the local. Resigned from United States postal service so as to take part in the party work.

PARKER, George Wm., commercial traveler, Hudson, Mass. Born, Nova Scotia, July 21, 1866; formerly conservative; converted to Socialism by reading Appeals given him by a comrade; joined Socialist party at Hudson, Aug. 22, 1909. Is treasurer of local.

PARSONS, M., farmer, Donneby, Minn. Born, Sweden, Aug. 23, 1845; formerly republican, democrat and populist; converted to Socialism about five years ago by Appeal and Chicago Daily Socialist; joined Socialist party at Ronneby, Feb. 5, 1912. Has been school and township treasurer for about twenty years.

PANKHURST, R. L., concrete worker, Long Beach, Cal. Born near Syracuse, N. Y., Feb. 28, 1878; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading national platform; joined Socialist party at Long Beach, January, 1913; distributed on the Pike under the Pier many thousands of pieces of literature. Is financial secretary of his local.

PARKER, F. S., railroad trainman, Seattle, Wash. Born, Hastings, Minn., April 14, 1861; formerly republican; converted to Socialism through A. R. U. strike and Coming Nation. Joined

Socialist party in North Dakota, 1896; member Hillman local; distributed three or four thousand pieces of Socialist literature; secured 160 subscriptions for the Appeal; attended one city convention.

PATRIDGE, John, shipcaulker, Paducah, Ky. Born, Langsville, Ohio, 1886; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal in 1909; joined Socialist party at Paducah, July, 1910; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured 500 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 309 for the Appeal; attended four city conventions. Is financial secretary of local, and is an amateur soapboxer.

PASK, Alfred, carpenter, Pecos, Texas. Born, Sweden, Nov. 30, 1862; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by attending meetings and reading Appeal; joined Socialist party Sept. 23, 1904, in Joliet, Ill.; distributed many thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subs for Socialist papers; attended national convention in 1904.

PAULSEN, Paul J., exective board member United Mine Workers of America, Rock Springs, Wyo. Born, Denmark, Oct. 20, 1870; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism through the Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Rock Springs, October, 1904; helped organize locals at different places in Colorado, Wyoming; distributed three or four thousand pieces of literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions for Socialist papers, but most of them for the Appeal; attended two national conventions and five state conventions. Was state secretary of Wyoming three years. Was in bull-pen in West Virginia coal strike for three weeks.

PEDERSEN, Holger V., hardware dealer,

Ruthton, Minn. Born, Michigan, July 4, 1878; converted to Socialism by reading; joined Socialist party at Ruthton, August, 1912. Is Secretary of local.

PENDERGRASS, T. E., pipe fitter, Sanderson, Texas. Born, Comanche, Tex., March, 1878; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal and thinking; joined Socialist party at Clifton, Ariz., October, 1911; member of Local El Paso, Texas; helped organize local at Clifton, Ariz.; distributed unknown quantities of Socialist literature.

PERKINS, F. J., merchant, Woodstock, Vt. Born, Bridgeport, Vt., March 2, 1870; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by Wilshire's Magazine and the Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party, 1910; member Woodstock local; distributed several thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for Socialist papers; attended convention at Bennington, Vt. Is organizer of local.

PERON, D. F., barber, Blue Lake, Cal. Born, France, June 13, 1855; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by an Appeal handed him by one of his neighbors; joined Socialist party at Blue Lake, 1910; distributed all kinds of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for the Appeal and other papers. May be found working night and day without regard to critics.

PETRIG, T. Anton, laborer, Scranton, Cal. Born, Switzerland, 1884; converted to Socialism through reading; joined Socialist party at Highland Park.

PISKENS, J. E., city marshal, Mountain View, Okla. Born, Tennessee, 1853; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal and Rip-

Saw; joined Socialist party at Cordell, Okla., 1909; member of Local Mt. Olive; distributed hundreds of pieces of Socialist literature; secured a great many subscriptions to Socialist papers and about 100 to the Appeal.

PIERCE, Wm. G., carpenter and builder, St. Louis, Mo. Born, St. Louis, Mo., October, 1882; converted to Socialism by reading pamphlets; joined Socialist party February, 1913; distributed 3,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 60 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 50 for the Appeal.

PIERSON, R. H., traveling salesman, Hutchinson, Kan. Born, Michigan, 1873; converted to Socialism by reading; joined Socialist party at Hutchinson, July, 1911; distributed about 1,000 pieces of literature.

PIGOTT, Richard, grocer, West Somerville, Mass. Born, Boston, Aug. 25, 1852; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading; joined Socialist party at Somerville ten years ago; distributed many thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; taken many hundreds of subscriptions for Appeal and other Socialist papers; attended one city and one state convention.

PINE, George J., well driller, Marsden, Okla. Born, Franklin county, Missouri, Dec. 15, 1858; formerly populist; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal; joined Socialist party as member at large in 1906; helped organize locals at Eastman, Burneyville, Rock, Bryan, Bunkerhill, Abner and others; attended convention at Oklahoma City.

PORTER, J. L., farmer, Orion, Okla. Born, Lynn county, Iowa, Jan. 14, 1865; formerly populist; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party in Oklahoma;

member of Central Wooddale, Okla.; secured many subscriptions for the Appeal. Is county commissioner.

PRICE, Thomas J., machinist, Moline, Ill. Born, Yatesville, Pa., June 27, 1855; formerly republican and democrat; converted to Socialism through experience obtained on a trip west in search of work and by Appeal to Reason; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscribers for Socialist papers.

PROSSER, P. J., sculpter, New Orleans, La. Born, London, England, Oct. 2, 1896; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at New Orleans, 1912; secured about 100 subscriptions for Socialist papers and 65 for the Appeal.

PUTNAM, John, janitor Peabody library, Danvers, Mass. Born, Danvers, Feb. 21, 1846; formerly labor reformer; converted to Socialism through other parties and study; joined Socialist party at Salem, 1898; member of Local Danvers; helped organize locals at Salem, Danvers and Peabody; attended one city and one state convention.

PUCKETT, Jos. W., farmer, Kincaid, Kan. Born, Fayette county, Ill., Nov. 27, 1843; formerly republican and prohibitionist; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Emporia, 1906; member Local Harmony; helped organize locals at Pleasant, Xenia, Centerville and Bayard; distributed 10,000 pieces Socialist literature; secured about 1,000 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 700 for the Appeal; attended two state conventions and three conferences. Is county chairman of Socialist party.

RABLEN, S. T., farmer, Sonora, Cal. Born, England, Oct. 16, 1859; formerly

republican and populist; converted to Socialism through reading Coming Nation and then the Appeal; joined Socialist party at Sonora, 1900; helped organize Locals Sonora and Tuolumns; distributed thousands of Socialist literature; secured 475 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 250 for the Appeal. Is local correspondent.

RAICHES, John E., tin-plate worker, Clarksburg, W. Va. Born, Weston, Mo., March 10, 1892; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Clarksburg, September, 1911; member Union Heights; distributed 5,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 200 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 70 for the Appeal; attended one city, one state and one national convention. Is secretary of local.

RAINS, Henry, farmer, Keota, Ok'a. Born, Texas, July, 1858; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism through populist party; joined Socialist party at Garland, Okla., 1907; helped organize locals at Garland and Lenox; distributed 1,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured numbers of subscriptions for the Appeal during the last eight years; attended one city and one county convention.

RANDLE, Charles G., coal miner, Knoxville, Iowa. Born, Coventry, England, June 2, 1884; converted to Socialism by rapid fire from Appeal Army; joined Socialist party at Harvey, 1912; moved to another town where there was no local; secured 53 subscriptions for the Appeal.

RAYNER, Chas. D., bookseller, Seattle, Wash. Born, Rock Island, Ill., June 7, 1868; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by old S. L. P. and then by Coming Nation and Appeal; joined Socialist party when first

organized; member at Seattle; organized locals at St. Paul, Minneapolis, Spokane and Seattle; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscribers to Socialist newspapers; attended over 25 city, six state and two national conventions. Was candidate for mayor on Socialist ticket in Minneapolis in 1900.

REESE, Chas. A., physician and surgeon, Knoxville, Pa. Born, Somerset county, Pennsylvania, Aug. 20, 1841; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party in 1900; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions to Appeal to Reason.

REAVIS, A. H., farmer, Redlands, Cal. Born, Illinois, Nov. 11, 1864; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by study; joined Socialist party at Redlands, 1907; kept no record of literature distributed or subscriptions secured, but has been very active along those lines.

RENT, G. B., farmer, Pullman, Wash. Born, Vanburen county, Iowa, Jan. 16, 1847; formerly democrat and populist; converted to Socialism in 1848; joined Socialist party at Pullman, Wash., as member at large.

RICE, Dr. J. A., physician, Live Oaks, Cal. Born, Grinnell, Iowa, Oct. 26, 1874; formerly prohibitionist; converted to Socialism while struggling for an education when fellow workers in the printing trade showed him the meaning of the class struggle and induced him to read Appeal; joined Socialist party at Peanue, Cal., 1911; member Live Oak local; helped organize locals at Live Oak. Is secretary of local.

RICHARDSON, Joseph W. A., electrical engineer and contractor, New Orleans, La. Born, St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 1, 1874; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading speech of Wm. D. Haywood; helped organize local at New Orleans; distributed about 2,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 48 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 50 for the Appeal.

RIECK, Henry F., farmer, Roscoe, S. D. Born, Elkhorn, Wis., March 2, 1879; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism by hired hand, John O. Hagen; joined Socialist party at Roscoe, September, 1913; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature and secured 50 subscriptions for the Appeal. Is township clerk.

ROHN, Walter G. H., bookkeeper, Chicago, Ill. Born, Chicago, Feb. 3, 1895; converted to Socialism by Chicago Daily Socialism during time of newspaper strike, 1912; joined Socialist party at Chicago, June, 1913; member Thirty-second ward branch. Is financial secretary of local.

ROSEN, A. O., blacksmith, Silvis, Ill. Born, Sweden, Jan. 1, 1872; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal during Haywood trial; joined Socialist party at Moline, 1911; member of Rock Island local; helped organize East Moline; distributed 500 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 300 subscriptions for various Socialist papers.

ROSENGREN, Geo., laborer, Marshalltown, Iowa. Converted to Socialism by a Socialist street speaker; joined Socialist party, 1910; distributed 5,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 180 subscriptions for the various Socialist papers and 70 for the Appeal; attended one state convention. Is financial secretary of local.

ROSMUSSEN, C. B., section foreman, Ruthven, Iowa. Born, Denmark, Dec. 12, 1875; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading papers; joined Socialist party at Ruthven, 1906; distributed 1,500 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 50 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and a great number for the Appeal. Is local secretary.

ROTH, Chas., farmer, Arlington, Wash. Born, France, June 26, 1867; always been a Socialist; joined Socialist party at Akron, Ohio, 1898; member Lakewood local; distributed several thousand pieces of Socialist literature; secured 350 subscriptions for various Socialist papers; and over 200 for the Appeal. Is secretary of local and school director.

RUBLE, Walter, warehouseman, Centralia, Wash. Born, Salem, Ore., 1855; formerly republicans; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal; joined Socialist party at Colfax, Wash, 1896; member of North Centralia local; helped organize locals at Colfax, Wash.; distributed 500 pieces of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions for Appeal and other Socialist papers.

RUBLIN, E. G., bricklayer, Akron, Ohio. Born, Switzerland, Dec. 11, 1866; formerly converted to Socialism by reading Coming Nation; joined Socialist party at Akron.

RULE, J. A., car inspector, Clifton Forge, Va. Born, Fincastle, Va., July 14, 1871; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal; joined Socialist party at Clifton Forge, Sept. 9, 1909. Is local secretary.

RUSSELL, Elvarus A., blacksmith, E. Wilton, Me. Born, Temple, Me., Nov. 6, 1860; formerly democrat; converted

to Socialism by reading the Appeal and Socialist books; secured one hundred subscriptions for various Socialist papers.

SALTVEIT, Ola., common laborer, Tharhult, Minn. Born, Norway, Jan. 18, 1868; formerly a radical in Norway; converted to Socialism through study, observation and reading "Looking Backward"; joined Socialist party in Oregon, 191?; distributed 200 copies of "Socialism Made Plain"; secured 280 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 270 for the Appeal. Occasionally delivers talks on Socialism vs. Capitalism.

SANBORN, M. R., assistant librarian, New Haven, Conn. Born Sanbornton, N. H., July 6, 1878; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by studying social conditions; joined Socialist party at New Haven, 1909; distributed 6,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 250 subscriptions for Socialist papers and 125 for the Appeal.

SANFORD, George B., solicitor, Fresno, Cal. Born, New Scotland, April, 1832; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal and Coming Nation; joined Socialist party at Fresno 15 years ago; distributed books and papers containing Socialist principles for years; secured a number of subscriptions for various Socialist papers and the Appeal.

SATRA, Philip, attorney at law, Brooklyn, N. Y. Born, March 9, 1871; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism by listening to Socialist speeches and reading; joined Socialist party at Brooklyn, Nov. 27, 1909; member Kings county local; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured several subscriptions to Appeal. Was a member of Ruskin colony.

SAYRE, S. P., carpenter and cabinet maker, Bonifay, Fla. Born, Woodsfield, Monroe county, Ohio, Feb. 18, 1831; formerly republican, greenbacker, union labor and populist; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason in 1910; member at large of Socialist party; distributed 250 pieces of Socialist literature; taken seventy subscriptions to Appeal.

SAWYER, P. F., street car conductor, Salt Lake City, Utah. Born, Iowa, 1872; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal. Is not a member of the party, but will be soon.

SAXER, P. J., merchant, Mt. Clare, Neb. Born, Switzerland, Aug. 14, 1842; formerly democrat and populist; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at superior, 1911; helped organize locals at Mt. Clare, Neb.; distributed 300 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 200 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 100 subscriptions for the Appeal.

SIEGFRIED, N. E., traveling salesman, Fargo, N. D. Born, Greenville, Pa., Sept. 4, 1876; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading papers and lectures; joined Socialist party at Fargo, 1894; helped organize Sweden Valley, N. D.; distributed a great many pieces of Socialist literature; secured a lot of subscriptions for various Socialist papers and more than 100 for the Appeal; attended two city conventions and one state convention.

SEKULLER, A. L., victim of railroad system, Snohomish, Wash. Born, Illinois, June 28, 1870; converted to Socialism by Appeal; joined party at Snohomish, Wash., Dec. 17, 1911.

SCHULTHIS, Henry J., baker and pastry cook, Culver, Ind. Born, Sept. 4, 1875;

formerly democrat; converted to Socialism through an address delivered by Carl D. Thompson; joined Socialist party at St. Louis, April 15, 1908; member of Local Culver; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured 80 subscriptions to various Socialist papers and 60 to the Appeal. Is an Appeal law student.

SCOVELL, S., dairyman, Nehalem, Ore. Born, Oregon, Feb. 8, 1869; formerly prohibitionist, populist and republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Nehalem, Feb. 7, 1906; member of Tillamook county local; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for the Appeal and other Socialist papers; attended two county conventions. Is school director.

SEGAL, Abraham, clerk, East Boston, Mass. Born, Russia, 1851; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism by reading; joined Socialist party E. Boston, 1893.

SEMPLE, Matthew, paper hanger and decorator, Ottawa, Kan. Born, Larne, Ireland, Oct. 14, 1848; formerly greenbacker; converted to Socialism through the oppression of the Irish landlordism, 1880; joined Socialist party at St. Joseph, Mo., May, 1880; helped organize local at Princeton, Kan.; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature, walking many miles to do so.

SERTELL, Robert, glass blower, Miles, Ohio. Born, Ravenna, Ohio, Oct. 2, 1878; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism through study; joined Socialist party at Fostoria, Ohio, 1906; member Local Niles; distributed a great many pieces of literature; secured a number of subscriptions for all Socialist papers; attended three conventions.

SHANK, Charles, miner, Reliance, Wyo. Born, Sheffield, Ill., June 12, 1875; converted to Socialism through experience while tramping and being blacklisted; member Local Reliance; helped organize locals at Cline, Mont., Reliance, Wyo., and in Missouri; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for all Socialist papers. Is organizer of local. Has been jailed because of Socialism and unionism.

SHEARER, H. W., farmer, Hillsdale, Okla. Joined Socialist party at a time when to do so meant to be scoffed at. Never misses a meeting of his local; was elected township trustee on the Socialist ticket at last election.

SHELLENBERGER, J. C., quarryman and canvasser, Wertz, Pa. Born, Wertz, July 10, 1870; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Duncansville, Pa., January, 1910; helped organize local at Williamsburg and Kane; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured 250 subscriptions to Socialist papers and 275 to the Appeal; attended one city, one county and one state convention.

SHOEMAKER, Irven, farmer, Cayuga, N. Y. Born, Cayuga county, New York, Nov. 4, 1859; formerly greenbacker, populist; evoluted from people's party to Socialism after election in 1986 and reading of "Merry England" and Coming Nation helped him to see light of Socialism; joined Socialist party as member at large, Jan. 14, 1908; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured 208 subscriptions to the Appeal.

SHOEMAKER, Wm. C., nurse, Xenia, Ohio. Born, Xenia, Ohio, August, 1859; formerly democrat; converted to So-

cialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Xenia, Ohio, July 28, 1902; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscribers for Socialist papers; attended one city convention.

SCHNEIDER, Henry, farmer, Creswell, Ore. Born, Alsace, Germany, July 27, 1865; formerly populist; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Lancaster, Colo., July, 1907; member Creswell local; helped organize locals at Lancaster, Colo., and Creswell, Ore.; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscribers for Socialist papers; attended one county convention.

SHOFNER, W. W., farmer, San Antonio, Texas. Born, Angelina county, 1854; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by the Appeal and Rip-Saw; joined Socialist party at Lufkin, 1910.

SILVERMAN, Morris, merchant, Henderson, Ky. Born, Russia, 1872; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism when a student in Russian schools; joined party in New York City, 1894; member of Henderson local; helped organize locals in New York, New Jersey and at Henderson; distributed 50,000 pieces of literature; secured four to five hundred subscriptions to Socialist papers and 150 to Appeal; attended New York City convention and one state convention in New York. Is state committeeman.

SIMCO, Stephen, bartender, McKeesport, Pa. Born, Hungary, May 25, 1881; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal; joined Socialist party at McKeesport, 1909; takes subscriptions every day to Socialist papers.

SIMPSON, Frank, bookkeeper, La Jolla, Cal. Born, Pennsylvania, 1859; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Weekly People and Marx's Capital; joined Socialist labor party at San Diego, Cal., 1896; member Socialist party at Dehesa, Cal.; helped organize locals at various places; distributed thousands of pieces of literature. Took an active part in the party in the early days of the movement and has held various offices in the locals and has run for various offices on the Socialist ticket.

SIRES, J. F., farmer, Tucumcari, N. M. Born, Tennessee, 1855; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism through reading Appeal; joined Socialist party at Tucumcari, 1908.

SMITH, H. Willard, machinist, Ft. Wayne, Ind. Born, Ft. Wayne, Dec. 24, 1874; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal; joined Socialist party at Ft. Wayne, January, 1903; distributed 10,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 600 subscriptions for Socialist papers and 500 for the Appeal to Reason; attended city convention at Indianapolis.

SMITH, Ben, clothier, Ladd, Ill. Born, Poland, Dec. 14, 1871; formerly republican; converted to Socialism through hardship and reading the Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Spring Valley, Ill., 1899; member of Ladd local; helped organize locals at Oglesby, Spring Valley, Jonesville, Dalzall, Seatonville and several other points; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions for all Socialist papers; attended one city, one state convention.

SMITH, George R., old soldier, Pensacola, Fla. Born, Ohio, 1844; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading; joined Socialist party in Pensacola, 1902; helped organize locals

at Pensacola and Bagdad; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions for the Appeal and other Socialist papers. Is secretary of local.

SMITH, T., merchant, Melrose, N. M. Born, Carlessville, Ga., 1859; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by studying; joined Socialist party, 1900.

SMOOK, A. P., carpenter, Farmington, N. M. Born in Georgia; formerly democrat and populist; converted to Socialism through conversation with friends; joined Socialist party at Moffet, Colo., 1910.

SNOW, D. C., farmer, mason and builder, San Francisco, Cal. Born, Garm, Dodge county, Wisconsin, May 9, 1846; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by Appeal five years ago.

SNYDER, John, miner, first boss and assistant foreman, Helen, Pa. Born, Broadford, April 7, 1887; converted to Socialism by the Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Waltersbury, Pa.; helped organize local at Sitka, Pa.; distributed 1,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 100 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 40 for the Appeal.

SNYDER, J. F., farmer, Grand, Okla. Born, Fayette county, Pa., July 27, 1852; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal and many Socialist books; distributed hundreds of pieces of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions to Socialist papers.

SOLDAN, John G., watchmaker, Oberlin, Mich. Born, Canada, Feb. 11, 1852; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism by Ben Wilson's lecture; joined Socialist party at Gladwin, 1911; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured a number of subscribers for various Socialist papers, including the Appeal.

SOMMERVILLE, C. B., mill worker, Cosmopolis, Wash. Born, West Virginia, 1855; formerly populist; converted to Socialism by reading Wilshire's Magazine and "Merrie England"; joined Socialist party at Aberdeen, Wash, 1905; helped organize local at Cosmopolis; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured a number of subscriptions for various Socialist papers.

SOUTHWORTH, O. M., bricklayer and contractor, Benton Harbor, Mich. Born, Benton Harbor, May 27, 1861; formerly republican, democrat and populist; converted to Socialism by reading Coming Nation, Socialist books and the Appeal; joined Socialist party at Benton Harbor in 1900; helped organize locals at Niles, Mich.; Amarillo, Texas; distributed many thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured 5,000 subscriptions for the various Socialist papers and 4,500 for the Appeal; attended one national Socialist convention. Has been local secretary many times.

SOWERS, John W., locomotive carpenter, Salt Lake City, Utah. Born, Murphysboro, Ill., March 18, 1870; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal which was first sent to me as secretary of Murphysboro Trades Council about 1902; joined party at Salt Lake, Dec. 6, 1909; distributed many pieces of literature; secured several subscriptions to Socialist papers; attended convention at Salt Lake City. Is on auditing committee of state of Utah.

SPARE, E. O., bookkeeper and salesman, Pensacola, Fla. Born, Ohio, July 12, 1853; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal and other literature.

SPEIGEL, W. G., carpenter, Bucyrus, Ohio. Born, Crawford county, Ohio, May 12, 1865; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason and Socialist books; joined Socialist party at Akron, Ohio, April 3, 1904; member of Local Bucyrus; distributed several thousand pieces of Socialist literature; secured 300 subscriptions to various Socialist papers and 200 to the Appeal; attended four city conventions. Is organizer of party.

SPENCER, J. T., farmer, Beaverton, Ore. Born, Cleveland, Pa., 1854; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Beaverton, 1912; distributed 1,000 or more pieces of Socialist literature.

SPENGLER, Louis A., merchant, Los Angeles, Cal. Born, New York, Oct. 21, 1872; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Branch No. 10, Socialist party, in Los Angeles, 1903; distributed thirty thousand pieces of Socialist literature; taken several hundred subs to Socialist papers; attended ten Socialist conventions. Is organizer for the Socialist party.

STAMM, J. A., inspector, Avis, Pa. Born, Loganton, Dec. 31, 1867; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading the Appeal to find flaw in Socialism. Is school director.

STARLING, W. D., clerk, Wakefield, Kan. Born, London, England, Jan. 20, 1862; formerly republican; joined Socialist party at Wakefield, March 15, 1910; is city clerk.

STAIR, L. E., photographer, Mitchell, S. D. Born, Elkhart, Ind., April 14, 1858; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by lecturer; joined Socialist party at Mitchell, January, 1912; distributed a great many pieces of Socialist literature; secured several subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 50 for the Appeal. Has been organizer of party.

STANSBURY, G. B., farmer, brick worker, carpenter, Star City, W. Va. Born, White Day, W. Va., March 24, 1878; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by searching for material to fight the Socialists; joined Socialist party at Star City, December, 1910; helped organize locals at Smithtown, W. Va., and others indirectly; distributed 1,000 pieces of literature; secured 150 subscriptions for Socialist papers and 70 for the Appeal; attended one city and one state convention. Is corresponding secretary of local. Is member of the council in his city.

STEINBACH, A. W., telegraph operator, Camp Douglas, Wis. Born, Bridgeport, Wis., Feb. 4, 1886; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by careful study; joined Socialist party at Camp Douglas, March 1, 1909; helped organize local at Hustler, Wis.; distributed 5,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 300 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 121 for the Appeal; attended one city and one state convention. Is secretary of local.

STEPP, A. V., real estate and loan business, Mangum, Okla. Born, Pulaski, Tenn., 1851; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by the Appeal to Reason and Socialist books; joined Socialist party at Mangum, 1913; distributed hundreds of pieces of Socialist literature; secured many pieces of Socialist literature; ran for register of deeds in 1910.

STEVENS, Fred E., pawn broker, Louisville, Ky. Born, Marlboro, Mass., Nov. 26, 1857; formerly republican; con-

verted to Socialism by "Looking Backward" and Appeal; joined Socialist party at Louisville, 1904; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions to Socialist papers; attended city convention at Newport, and one state convention. Was candidate for school commissioner last election.

STONE, Charles T., oriental rug expert, Milwaukee, Wis. Born, Wisconsin, July 17, 1852; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason and Grunlund's "Co-operative Commonwealth"; joined Socialist party in Illinois, 1893; member Milwaukee, Wis.; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature and taken many subscriptions to Socialist papers. Was a subscribers for the Appeal, for Vol. 1, No. 1.

STRAIT, J. L., farmer, Bonesteel, S. D. Born, Iowa, April 12, 1855; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal and thinking; kept no record of amount of literature distributed or number of subs secured, but has been at it for years and intends to keep up the fight.

STRAW, W. F., farmer, Philipsburg, Pa. Born, Julian, Pa., Nov. 16, 1879; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by a friend who handed him his paper occasionally; joined Socialist party August, 1912; distributed 200 pieces of Socialist literature; attended one city convention.

STIMSON, W. R., farmer, Lodi, Cal. Born, Maine, Jan. 5, 1871; formerly populist; converted to Socialism by reading Socialist literature; joined Socialist party at Medford, Ore., 1904; member Local Lodi; distributed hundreds of pieces of literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions for Socialist papers; attended one city and one state convention.

STOESZEL, Jacob, moulder and janitor, Columbus, Ohio. Born, Buffalo, N. Y., July 26, 1843; formerly general kicker, never voting any straight ticket; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Columbus, Ohio, 1903; attended one state convention.

STORGARD, Andrew, storekeeper, Marshfield, Ore. Born, Finland; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party July 10, 1910.

SUGG, W. W., farmer, Wellington, Tex. Born, Pope county, 1875; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by being converted to God; joined Socialist party at Wellington, 1911; helped organize locals at Wellington and Pollie. Is county organizer.

SULLIVAN, Michael, retired policeman, Detroit, Mich. Born, Ireland, 1832; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism through the Appeal; joined Socialist party in 1898; distributed hundreds of pieces of Socialist literature and secured many hundred subscriptions for the Appeal and other Socialist papers.

SWANSON, L. A., policeman, Colorado Springs, Colo. Born, Sweden, Aug. 7, 1871; formerly republican and democrat; converted to Socialism through Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Colorado Springs, 1913; secured about 100 subscriptions for Appeal.

SWANSON, Carl P., machinist, Attleboro, Mass. Born, Sweden, Sept. 30, 1870; stood for Socialist principles ever since 15 years of age; joined Socialist party at Attleboro, December, 1910; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscribers for the Ap-

peal and other Socialist papers; attended city convention at Boston. Is auditor of local.

SWARTZ, S. F., attorney at law, Norfolk, Va. Born, Milton, Pa., Jan. 25, 1859; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by books and speeches; joined Socialist party at Norfolk, September, 1912; distributed much Socialist literature; stood with the Appeal on almost all its campaigns.

SWENSON, Thomas, farmer, Charlson, N. D. Born, Gyland, Norway, Sept. 13, 1868; formerly republican and democrat; converted to Socialism by realizing that the workingman was not represented by the democrats and republicans; joined Socialist party as member at large in 1908; helped organize Charlson local and became a member at large; distributed 3,500 pieces of literature; taken many subscriptions for Socialist publications; attended city convention of Minot and state convention at Devil's Lake. Is state committeeman of McKenzie county.

SWITZER, Edwin L., carpenter, Canton, Ill. Born, Summum, Ills., Feb. 4, 1871; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by the Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Canton, 1905; helped organize locals at Cuba, St. David, Farmington, Breareton, and Lewistown, Ill.; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions to various Socialist papers and to the Appeal; attended one city and one state convention. Is financial secretary of local. Has devoted almost all his time night and day for the last five years to Socialism.

SWOPE, Jessie E., farmer, Toledo, Wash. Born, Clarke county, Washington, Oct. 25, 1877; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal; joined Socialist party at Ethel, Wash., July 21, 1912; member Otter Creek local; distributed 4,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 150 subscriptions for the various Socialist papers; attended two county conventions. Is local organizer.

TANGEN, K. L., farmer, Newberg, Ore. Born, Norway, March, 1859; formerly republican; converted to Socialism through hard times which caused him to study and read the Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Newberg, Feb. 19, 1912; distributed literature for about twelve years; secured hundreds of subscribers for Appeal and other Socialist papers.

TAYLOR, Chas., laborer, Carson City, Nev. Born, Moscow, Idaho, March 26, 1883; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by rottenness in old party convention in 1912; joined Socialist party at Carson; secured 69 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 59 for Appeal.

TAYLOR, Edwin, stock raiser and farmer, Parksfield, Cal. Born, Canada, Oct. 27, 1864; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by studying the Socialist literature; joined Socialist party at Parksfield, 1906; member of Local Paso Robles; distributed 10,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 200 subscriptions for Socialist papers and 100 for the Appeal.

TAYLOR, Frank, machinist, Pawtucket, R. I. Born, England, 1883; joined Socialist party in England at 16 years of age; united with party in America at Pawtucket, Branch 4, 1912; distributed hundreds of pieces of Socialist literature; secured 70 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 50 for the Appeal; attended one city and one state convention. Is secretary of local.

TAYLOR, George North, insurance and real estate business, Streator, Ill. Born, Hancock county, Illinois, Aug. 17, 1872; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading and hearing Socialist speakers; joined Socialist party at Streator, April 10, 1906; helped organize locals at Minonk, Garfield, Ill.; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for various Socialist papers; attended one city, one state and one national convention. Is financial secretary of local and treasurer of county local.

THOMAS, James, shoemaker, Nashville, Ark. Born, Texas, July 1, 1869; formerly democrat; converted to Socialist by reading and observing conditions; joined Socialist party at Nashville, Ark.; distributed a great many pieces of literature; secured many subscriptions for Appeal and other Socialist papers; attended city convention at Dirks. Is secretary of local.

THOMPSON, William, pattern maker, Blair Station, Pa. Born, Fair Haven, Pa., Oct. 25, 1883; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal and hearing speakers; joined Socialist party Fair Haven, May, 1912.

THURSTIN, Ed., stone cutter, Chanute, Kan. Born, Nova Scotia, November, 1837; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading both sides of the question long before the party was organized; member Local Chanute; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured many hundreds of subscriptions to the Appeal and other papers; attended several city conventions.

TICKLE, D. L., engineer, Charleston, W. Va. Born, Virginia, 1864; formerly

republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal given him by a friend; joined Socialist party at Charleston, 1907; distributed all kinds of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions to various Socialist papers and hundreds to the Appeal; attended convention at Charleston. Was elected councilman in 1911 on Socialist ticket.

TIPTON, W. M., retired teacher, Hillsboro, Ore. Born, Kentucky, Dec. 21, 1860; formerly republican and populist; converted to Socialism by reading "Looking Backward," Coming Nation and Appeal; joined Socialist party at Hillsboro; distributed about 5,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured three or four hundred subscriptions to Socialist publications; taken 250 subscriptions to Appeal; attended one city and two state conventions.

TITTLE, W. A., salesman, Sulphur, Okla. Born, Granville, Tenn.., Dec. 18, 1871; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Rip-Saw; joined Socialist party at Sulphur, April, 1912; distributed many pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions to the Appeal and other Socialist papers; attended one city convention. Is recording secretary of the local.

TOPEL, Henry, tailor, Bozeman, Mont. Born, Germany, Feb. 20, 1856; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal; joined Socialist party at Bozeman; attended one city and one state convention.

TRAVER, H., laborer, Ada, Ore. Born, Fostoria, Ohio, July, 1854; formerly populist; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party, Ada, May 12, 1912; distributed 250 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 150 subscriptions for Appeal.

TRIPP, Frank M., drill straightener, New Bedford, Mass. Born, Middleboro, Mass, Aug. 17, 1873; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism through the theory of government ownership; joined Socialist party at New Bedford, 1911; helped organize locals at Central Branch and New Bedford; secured 100 subscribers for the Appeal in two years. Was candidate for state senator in 1912.

TROTTER, Wilson, blacksmith, Waco, Texas. Born, Cameron, Texas, March 9, 1855; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Waco, 1902.

UEIDNER, Edward E., miner, Saltillo, Ohio. Born, Columbus, Ohio, December, 1880; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal; joined Socialism party at Saltillo, October, 1912; distributed numberless pieces of Socialist literature; secured numerous subscriptions to Socialist papers. Is school director. Is blacklisted at mine, branded as agitator.

VINCENT, C. L., watchmaker, photographer, Mart, Texas. Born, New Orleans, La., Feb. 17, 1868; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal No. 391, found on stairway; joined Socialist party at Mart, Texas, Sept. 1, 1903; helped organize locals at Mart, Riesel and Edgefield; distributed many thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions to various Socialist papers and several hundred to the Appeal; attended several city conventions and three state conventions. Is county secretary.

VLIET, C. W. plasterer, Glenwood Springs. Colo. Born, Ohio, 1851; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reasoning; joined Socialist party at Glenwood.

WADE, A. D., wage slave, Webster City, Iowa. Born, Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 9, 1849; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading the Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Webster City, Nov. 7, 1907.

WALKER, S. L., traveling salesman, Jersey Shore, Pa. Born, Almond, N. Y., May 24, 1859; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by John Potter of Almond, N. Y., and Socialist literature; joined Socialist party at Long Beach, 1905; member at Jersey Shore; distributed ten to twenty thousand pieces of Socialist literature. Is organizer of local.

WALKER, George T., locomotive engineer, Leavenworth, Wash. Born, Albany, N. Y., 1855; formerly democrat and republican; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined party in 1905.

WALTERHOUSE, E., farmer, Harpster, Ohio. Born, Wyandot county, Ohio, 1867; formerly republican; converted to Socialism through reading Appeal; secured 50 subscriptions to the Appeal.

WALSH, W. J., civil engineer and surveyor, Wray, Colo. Born, Alabama, 1852; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party in 1895; helped organize locals at Lone Tree, Colo.; distributed 500 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 50 subscribers for various Socialist papers and 50 for the Appeal.

WATE, Fred P., farmer, Red Bluff, Cal. Born, Chillicothe, Mo., April 4, 1880; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by economic determinism and the comparison of the Appeal's red-blooded program to that of anemic commoner; joined Socialist party at Red Bluff, Jan. 29, 1912; distributed

4,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 95 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 50 for the Appeal; attended one county convention. Is secretary of local.

WAY, John L., merchant, Tulare, Cal. Born, Iowa, Nov. 10, 1865; formerly populist; joined Socialist party at Tulare, May, 1903; distributed hundreds of pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions to Socialist papers. Is financial secretary of local.

WEBSTER, Cash I., switchman, Harve, Mont. Born, Logansport, Ind., Nov. 24, 1875; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal and struggle for existence; joined Socialist party at Williston, N. D., 1907; member of local Harve; distributed 3,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 815 subscriptions for Socialist papers and 800 for Appeal.

WEBER, Kurl J. H., butcher, Colfax, Wash. Born, Geisess, Germany, Oct. 4, 1877; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by hard knocks and reading the Appeal; joined Socialist party at Joplin, Mo., 1896; member of Local Colfax; helped organize locals at Malden, Colfax, Elverton and Pullman, Wash.; distributed 10,000 pieces of Socialist literature; attended one city and one state convention. Is secretary of local, state committeeman, county committeeman, county secretary and treasurer.

WEIR, George, miner, Everist, Iowa. Born, Streator, Ill., 1873; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Everist, 1910; helped organize local at Merryville; distributed 2,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 60 subscriptions for all Socialist papers and 50 for Appeal; attended convention at Knoxville, Iowa. Is township trustee.

WEISS, L. H., inspector New York Telephone company, Newark, N. J. Born, New York, Jan. 3, 1894; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism through Appeal to Reason and lectures; joined Socialist party Essex county, New Jersey, April, 1913; distributed innumerable pieces of Socialist literature; secured several subscriptions to Socialist papers and 50 to the Appeal. Is secretary of branch local.

WELCH, C. H., automobile mechanic, Blockton, Iowa. Born, Citronville, Ala., March 2, 1875; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party in Florida, 1900; helped organize local at Orlando, Fla.; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured over 100 subscriptions for various Socialist papers; secured about 75 subscriptions for the Appeal; attended two city and one state convention.

WELLS, T. B., farmer, Aberdeen, S. D. Born, New York, 1846; formerly populist; converted to Socialism by reading Bellamy's "Looking Backward"; joined Socialist party in Aberdeen, 1898; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscriptions to Socialist papers and 3410 to the Appeal; attended several city conventions and one national convention. Is Tennessee contestant.

WELSH, Samuel, boiler maker, Renovo, Pa. Born, North Bend, Ind., Oct. 15, 1877; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal while in the army in 1898; joined Socialist party at Renovo. Declares he is willing to be jailed for the cause.

WELTLICH, Nicholas, railroad employe, Massillon, Ohio. Born, Massillon, Ohio, March 29, 1875; converted to Socialism by reading New York People and literature; joined Socialist papers and the Appeal; attended one state convention. Is secretary of local.

WENRICH, George F., cigar maker, Maplewood, Mass. Born, Wernersville, Pa., Jan. 29, 1886; converted to Socialism by hearing Debs and street speakers, reading literature, especially the Appeal; joined Socialist party at Boston, March, 1909; member of Local Malden; helped organize locals at Maplewood and Malden; distributed many leaflets and Appeals; secured several subscriptions for Socialist papers and the Appeal; attened one city and one state convention. Is secretary of local.

WENSTROM, James, farmer, Dover N. D. Born, Fergus Falls, Minn., Oct. 19, 1874; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason and Socialist books; distributed 3,575 pieces of literature; secured 132 subscribers for various Socialist papers; secured 85 subscriptions for Appeal. Is township clerk and school treasurer.

WENTZ, Frank E., blacksmith, Raymore, Mo. Born, Indiana, Dec. 14, 1867; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading "Master and Slave."

WERNER, Frank, saw filer, Rochester, N. Y. Born, Rochester, March 2, 1884; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Rochester, Nov. 25, 1910; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured 40 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 70 for Appeal; attended city convention at Auburn and one state convention. Is literature agent in local.

WESTLAKE, Don R., machinist, Arlington, N. J. Born, Green River, Wyo., Dec. 20, 1890; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by friends and reading books; joined Socialist party Feb. 23, 1913, at Kankakee, Ill.; distributed about 800 pieces of Socialist literature and secured 60 subscriptions for the Appeal. Has almost a complete Socialist library.

WHITE, Charles E., farmer, Port Angeles, Wash. Born, Galena, Ill., 1843; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by hearing Socialist speak and reading literature; joined Socialist party at Stockton, Cal., 1898; distributed 10,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 1,000 subscriptions for the various Socialist papers and 950 for the Appeal; attended one city convention. Is literature agent of local.

WHALEN, W. W., insurance agent, Buffalo, Okla. Born, Kentucky, Dec. 10, 1873; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party as member at large in 1912; distributed about 2,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 400 subscribers for Socialist papers and 250 for the Appeal. Is county chairman of the Socialist party.

WHITE, Wm. A., horticulturist, Lynchburg, Va. Born, Virginia, July 15, 1855; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Lynchburg, August, 1912; distributed many pieces of literature and secured many subscriptions to Socialist publications.

WHISTLER, A. K., plasterer, Chambersburg, Pa. Born, Franklin county, Sept. 11, 1868; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal and pamphlets; joined Socialist party at Harrisburg, Pa., October, 1903;

helped organize Locals Harrisburg and Shippensburg; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured 1,500 subscriptions to Appeal. Is organizer for Franklin county, Pa.

WIESENDANGER, E. U., gunsmith, Comanche, Texas. Born, Switzerland, Jan. 1, 1850; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Comanche, 1908; distributed Appeals and much other literture; secured 100 subscriptions to the Appeal.

WRIGHT, Wilbur E. N., miner, Twin Lakes, Colo. Born, Mound City, Kan., July 7, 1864; formerly populist; converted to Socialism by reading "Looking Backward" and Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Twin Lakes, March 27, 1908; helped organize locals at Granite, Colo.; distributed 4,000 pieces of literature; secured 300 subscriptions to various Socialist papers and one hundred to Appeal. Is financial secretary of local. Was candidate for clerk and recorder in 1908, state senator in 1910 and United States senator in 1912.

WILES, L. D., piceture framer, W. Nashville, Tenn. Born, Nashville, Aug. 8, 1872; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by a Socialist and the Appeal; joined Socialist party at Nashville, 1910; distributed hundreds of pieces of Socialist literature; secured 100 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and as many for the Appeal. Is financial secretary of local.

WILLARD, Walter H., farm laborer, Newbury, Ore. Born, Grundy Center, Iowa, Dec. 24, 1875; formerly populist; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason and lectures by Debs; joined Socialist party at Nampa, Idaho, January, 1911; member of Local Newberg; distributed 1,000 pieces of Socialist

literature; secured 50 subscriptions to the Appeal; attended one county and one state convention. Is financial secretary of local.

WILLIAMS, C. E., merchant, Nucla, Colo. Born, near Mankato, Minn., April 10, 1854; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading "Looking Backward" and Coming Nation in 1894; joined Socialist party at Ogden, Utah, 1907; member of Nucla, Colo.; helped organize locals at Norwood and Nucla, Colo.; distributed several hundred pieces of literature; secured 250 subscriptions for Socialist papers. Ran for state senator on Socialist ticket in 1902.

WILLIAMS, F. A., well driller, Wayne, Okla. Born, Texas, Nov. 5, 1873; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal; distributed about 2,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 500 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 200 for the Appeal.

WILLIAMS, George, manager retail lumber yard, Gotebo, Okla. Born, Wichita, Kan., Feb. 22, 1883; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism by reading Bible, history and by reasoning; joined Socialist party at Gotebo, Okla., June 5, 1911; distributed about 1,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 500 subscriptions to Socialist papers and one hundred for the Appeal; attended one city and one state convention.

WILLOUGHBY, James Edward, contractor in tunnel and rock, Alpine, Cal. Born, Ontario, Can., June, 1868; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at N. Yakima, Wash., June, 1910; member El Cajon local, Cal.; helped organize locals at N. Yakima, Wash., and Alpine, Cal.;

distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscribers to Socialist papers.

WILKINSON, C. W., conductor, Toledo, Ohio. Born, Ohio, Oct. 16, 1871; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading United States government statistics by Carl D. Wright; joined Socialist party at Toledo, August, 1910.

WILSON, G. W., farmer, carpenter and salesman, Titusville, Fla. Born, Norwalk, Iowa, July 25, 1853; formerly greenbacker and populist; converted to Socialism by observing surrounding conditions and reading Marx; joined Socialist party at Atlantic, Iowa, 1898; member of Titusville, Fla., at present; helped organize locals at Atlantic, Harlan, Iowa., Titusville, Eau Gallie, Fla.; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured thousands of subscriptions for Socialist papers; attended one city convention and one state convention.

WILSON, L. Birch, county organizer-secretary of Socialist party, Reading, Pa. Born, Reading, Pa., Feb. 7, 1883; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal and Blatchford's "Merrie England"; joined Socialist party at Reading, Feb. 7, 1909; member of Berks county local; have helped organize locals in more than a score of places; distributed thousands of pieces of literature; taken many subscriptions to Socialist papers; attended city convention at Reading, state convention at Pittsburg and national convention at Indianapolis. Has been a Socialist since age of 20 and joined party at first opportunity.

WILSON, Dr. H. M., physician, Rodi, Pa. Born, Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, Aug. 17, 1851; formerly republican;

converted to Socialism through Wayland's Coming Nation, Greensbury, Ind.; joined Socialist party Wilkinsburg, Pa., Sept. 5, 1905; member of Allegheny county local; distributed thousands of pieces of literature; secured hundreds of subs for various Socialist publications; attended three state conventions.

WILSON, John, carpenter, Loon Lake, Wash. Born, Sweden, Jan. 6, 1859; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by the Appeal; joined Socialist party at Loon Lake, 1904; attended one city convention.

WILSON, W. H., farmer, Elderville, Tex. Born, 1859; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by a stray copy of the Appeal to Reason picked up in Bueno Vista, Colo., in 1900; joined party at Buena Vista; member of Chalk Hill local; helped organize locals at Dirgan and Chalk Hill, Texas. Secretary of local. Has been rotten egged twice and fired from the mines four times because of Socialist activities.

WINGBLAD, Pitt A., shoe repairer, Brocton, N. Y. Born, Sweden, June 13, 1865; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party at Westfield, April, 1912; distributed 2,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured many subscriptions for Appeal and other papers. Is county committeeman.

WITTIG, Fred, machinist, Danville, Ill. Born, Louisville, Ky., Sept. 5, 1887; converted to Socialism by observing conditions of workers and by reading Appeal; joined Socialist party at Danville, 1908; helped organize locals at Louisville, Ky., and Danville, Ill.; distributed thousands of pieces of Socialist literature; secured hundreds of subscribers for Socialist papers and

between 80 and 100 for the Appeal. Is recording secretary of local.

WISMER, Wilson K., brakeman, Trenton, N. J. Born, Pennsylvania, June 5, 1882; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by Appeal; joined Socialist party at Trenton, July 3, 1913.

WOLLARD, S. S., painter, Redfield, S. D. Born, Harrison, Ark., 1886; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by reading Appeal; joined Socialist party at Independence, Iowa, 1911.

WOLF, W. E., carpenter, Toledo, Ohio. Born, near Ashland, Ohio, June 23, 1872; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by being dissatisfied with conditions and old parties; joined party at Toledo, October, 1908.

WOMACK, Geo. E., for 25 years a vocalist, now farmer, Byars, Ok'a. Born, Texas, 1858; formerly populist; converted to Socialism by reading "Looking Backward"; joined Socialist party at Etowak, Okla., 1904; member at large; helped organize locals at Banner school house; distributed about 5,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured about 1,500 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 1,200 for the Appeal; attended one city and one state convention.

WOOD, Clement Richardson, lawyer and lecturer, Birmingham, Ala. Born, Tuscaloosa, Ala., Sept. 1, 1888; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading Perkins, Vail, Spargo and others; joined Socialist local at Birmingham, June, 1912; helped organize locals in many places in Alabama; distributed 3,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 25 subscription for various Socialist papers and 124 for the Appeal; attended many city conventions, one state convention. Is state organizer.

WRAY, Joseph T., glass worker, Terre Haute, Ind. Born, Frankfort, Ind., May 4, 1889; no former political affiliations; converted to Socialism in school of hard knocks; joined Socialist party in Coffeyville, Kan., 1910; member of Local Vigo; helped organize locals at Coffeyville and Terre Haute; distributed numerous pieces of literature; secured 200 subscriptions to the various Socialist papers and 75 to the Appeal; attended one city and one state convention. Is organizer of local.

WRIGHT, William P., shoemaker, North Abington, Mass. Born, Rockland, Mass., Sept. 23, 1866; formerly democrat; converted to Socialism by reading the Appeal and other papers; joined Socialist party at Abington; distributed many pieces of literature; secured 200 subs for Appeal. Is literary agent of his local.

YOUNGMAN, W. W., miner, New Castle, Texas. Born, Palace, Texas, March 21, 1883; formerly populist; converted to Socialism by Appeal to Reason; joined Socialist party New Castle, February, 1912; secured near 300 subscriptions for various Socialist papers and 50 for the Appeal.

ZACHARY, C. F., carpenter, Kennett, Cal. Born, Jackson county, North Carolina, April 4, 1869; formerly republican; converted to Socialism by Appeal; joined Socialist party at Kennett, 1906; distributed 3,000 pieces of Socialist literature; secured 200 subscriptions to various Socialist papers and 150 to the Appeal; attended one convention. Is literature agent of local and chairman of county committee.

ist propaganda, yet we are practically limited to literature, speeches and personal conversation. The latter is good and a word dropped in season will bear fruit. Speeches will stir the apathic to temporary action, arouse enthusiasm for a time and give a new lease of life to local organizations, but the method that is always on the job, that "works while you sleep" and that will convert practically every one who is convertable is the distribution of literature. Indiscriminate scattering of literature will give some results, although the greater portion is wasted, but to obtain the best results each individual "prospect" should be studied, his prejudices and beliefs considered and then systematically supplied with literature to meet his or her particular case. While the Appeal fits most cases some people require something different, but the large amount of literature now available makes this method practicable and if followed will make more Socialists for the same amount of time and energy expended than any other method.

BY ADDISON BARR, Worcester, Mass.

Any method that carries Socialism into new places is good; all available methods are necessary, but of all the possible agencies of propaganda there are none so generally useful, all the year round, as an independent weekly paper of general circulation. Distribution should be systematic, taking a list of families in a district and after leaving the paper each week for a month, solicit each family for a subscription. In this way the seed is sown thoroughly, and results are certain. In no field of effort is the psychology of numbers more effective than in Socialist propaganda. A paper with a half million circulation and an

army of a hundred thousand devoted comrades, all volunteers, whose single determination is to win, carries with it a force far greater than that represented by ink and paper alone; its resources of information, its powers of resistance to the attacks of perverted authority and its freedom from the possibility of dogmatic dictation all join to make the independent paper our strongest weapon. I do not wish to decry papers of local circulation, but believe that there are many constituencies laboring to support a local paper, who, by adopting the above plan and using the Appeal freely for a year or two, could create an interest that would make their local paper self-supporting, and at the same time multiply the strength of the organization.

Best Propaganda Methods

Here are the three best contributions submitted for publication in "Who's Who in Socialist America" showing the most efficient methods to carry on the Socialist propaganda:

BY WALTER G. RAHN, Chicago, Ill.

It was the Appeal bundle order of six and a few hours' work each week that helped me sell the majority of my subscriptions. Having a supply of subscription cards and my weekly bundle order I would select a certain locality and calling at each house, as far as my supply would last, I would leave a copy of the Appeal on which would be written at the top "Special rate, 25 cents for forty weeks," calling the party's attention to the rate, would tell them to read same and that I would call some time the following week. The next week I would call and see the party that I left a copy with and ask whether they cared to subscribe. Having seen my parties from last week I would then leave a copy at the next five homes, thereby, if not receiving their subscription it was furthering the emancipation of the working class.

BY FRANK STIMSON, La Jolla, Cal.

While entertainments, dramas and "movies" play a small and perhaps an increasingly important part in Social-